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At our yard can be found a complete line of White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress, Whitewood, Spruce and Hemlock Lumber. A large quantity of Shingles that cannot be duplicated at present prices when these are gone Also Lime, Cement, Plaster and all Masons' Materials. And don't forget that we still sell the best and cleanest coal to be found in Middletown. TELEPHONE 181.

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STRIKE MOVEMENTS.

The Officers Are Preparing For a Sensational Move.

IT MAY BE EXPECTED VERY SOON.

Encouraging Reports Are Pouring Into the Strikers From All Points—Threats Made to Compel the Men to Return to Work.

Pittsburg, July 10.—The lines are tightening in all sections of the Pittsburg mining district, with the exception of a few localities.

The diggers in the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company are still working, but President Dolan and Secretary Warner are preparing for a move of a sensational order on that point. It was looked for yesterday, but will be made some time Saturday or Sunday. President Dolan has been at Wickhaven, strengthening his cause there, and will visit several of the river mines before he returns.

Telegrams and letters of an encouraging nature from the different pits in this district are pouring into the miners' office. One of these, written by a miner on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore and Ohio complains that operators are influencing the boarding house keepers to issue attachments against the single men for the small amounts they owe and are also threatening the men having families with landlords' warrants and ejection if they do not return to work.

Preacher Green, the miner who was chairman of the meeting at the Forty foot cut, Snowden, Thursday, was again in the field yesterday and presided at a meeting of the Gastonville diggers at that place. Several fiery speeches were made, resulting eventually in a unanimous vote favoring the strike. In a letter to Secretary Warner, Green stated that the whistle for the men to go to work at Gastonville blew yesterday morning as usual, but not a miner from his home entered the pit. Only a few were in Thursday.

Another miner wrote Secretary Warner from the Jumbo mines, saying that only seven men were at work at that pit yesterday. From the same sources it was learned that everything was quiet and idle on Millers run. The Jumbo mine was reported to be working, and it is pretty certain that nearly one-third of the Panhandle miners of Hanna & Co. were at work yesterday. The miners' officials had no definite information from there, but claimed the pit was practically deserted.

From an operator it was learned the mines of the Washington Coal and Coke company in Stickles hollow are working full and on Thursday loaded 100 cars of coal, which went to Cleveland. This mine is on the line of the Pittsburg, McKeesport and Youghiogheny railroad and has not heretofore been considered in the Pittsburg district.

The Strike Nearly Complete.

The best information puts the present state of the strike in this district as about complete, with the exception of the pits of the New York and Cleveland company, four or five small mines and several others in the fourth pool. It seems that the officials are having more trouble in getting the miners of the Upper river section out than in any other portion of the territory. Strong efforts will be made this week by President Dolan to get all the river diggers into the movement By his efforts the miners at Whitsett and West Newton are out

Some of the reports from the Monongahela river district indicate that many of the miners of that section are weakening and that some have already returned to work, with prospects of more following the same example before long The Chamonni mine of the Tidal Coal company, the mines of the Charles Jutte company, the Samuel O'Neill mines at Fayette and the Jones mines at Monongahela were at work today. This condition of affairs is causing much excitement in the valley. A special from Fayette City says

"Crowds of idle miners are gathering, and unless the miners of these places lay down their tools at once, it is said a march of miners, beginning at Fayette City with a brass band leading will be made, and every man persuaded to quit work. The miners when spoken to were in deadly earnest and will not rest until every digger comes out and joins in the strike The serious condition of affairs in the valley has been made known to the miners' officials and President Dolan will probably arrange for a mass meeting at Lucyville or Monongahela within the next 48 hours

The operators claim these mines were either running full or partially yesterday Pittsburg and Chicago Gas Coal company's mines at Gastonville and Snowden. Jumbo mine of the Pittsburg Consolidated Coal company and Columbia Gas Coal company's mines near West Newton New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company's mines at Turtle Creek, Oakhill and Plum Creek. J B. Corey's Duquesne mine in the Pennsylvania railroad district. Dickson's Hampton mine in the same district. Whitney & Stephenson's Manor shaft. Westmoreland Coal company's mines at Irwin. Berwynd. White company's mines in the Pennsylvania railroad district and the Keystone Coal company's mines at West Greensburg. The most of these mines are reported in full operation, and the operators say the Pennsylvania railroad company alone handled 1,000 cars of coal on Thursday. The most of it, they say, went to the western market.

The following is Secretary Warner's list of the pits now working and how strong:

At the Boone mine, Cannonsburg Coal company, 75 men. 100 men at Allison mine of J W. Cook & Son, 1 200 men at the mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company, a few men at Painter's Buffalo and Cincinnati mines, and the men of the O. I. C. mines of W. J. Steen, working for 69 cents. But he was sure that the Wickhaven miners would be out in the morning. He also asserted that there are not 500 of the 8,000 river miners at work.

A Crucial Time In the Strike.

The officials of the United Mine Workers, both local and national, realize that this is a crucial time in the strike movement, with the greatest interest centered in the Pittsburg district, where every effort will be made to get the men out. Much depends on their success, and, in fact, it will likely be the turning point in the movement. Up to the present time not a man has quit at the mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company, and none are expected to join the strikers. President W. P. De Armitt says the men are perfectly satisfied with the price and the conditions.

A number of the miners who have been spoken to say they will not join in the movement, as they are satisfied with the pay they are receiving. The miners' leaders are determined, however, to bring them out and claim they will succeed.

Trouble is expected on the Wheeling division today, as it will be payday. It is estimated that fully $40,000 will be paid out in cash. An effort will be made by some of the operators and railroad officials to have the licensed saloons at Finleyville closed today, claiming that there will be rioting if the men who have money patronize these places. There are many foreigners employed at the mines, and they are considered dangerous when under the influence of liquor

An unusual quantity of coal came in from the Fairmount region of West Virginia over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad and is crowded in the Glenwood yards. Most of it will go to the lakes The mines on the Pennsylvania railroad are running to their fullest capacity, and operators in need of coal are making heavy purchases. One operator purchased 150 carloads on Thursday from the Keystone Coal and Coke company

The shortage of coal is severely felt by the railroads. Wholesale confiscations are the rule on all lines shipping west Beadling Bros. say the railroad took eight loaded cars shipped by them Thursday, but by making a vigorous protest the firm got three of them back

The movement among the operators to get a conference with the miners' leaders has not yet assumed any definite form. Colonel Rend, the Chicago operators and several others are working hard to this end. The colonel believes the controversy can be arbitrated, but the majority of the operators will not hear of the proposition.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Pittsburg—
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1
New York ..... 2 1 1 0 0 0 0 4 1—9
Pittsburg—Hits, 10, errors, 5. New York—Hits, 13, errors, 1.

At Chicago—
Chicago ..... 0 2 2 0 1 1 1 1 *—8
Boston ..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0—7
Chicago—Hits, 13; errors, 3 Boston—Hits, 7 errors, 3.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati ..... 0 4 0 1 0 1 0 1 0—7
Philadelphia . 2 0 3 1 2 2 2 4 3—19
Cincinnati—Hits, 12 errors, 9. Philadelphia—Hits 26, errors, 1.

At Louisville—
Baltimore ..... 0 3 0 1 1 2 0 1 *—9
Louisville ..... 0 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 0—4
Baltimore—Hits, 12 errors, 1. Louisville—Hits 6 errors, 5.

At St. Louis—
Brooklyn ..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—3
St. Louis ..... 0 1 5 0 1 0 1 0 *—8
St. Louis—Hits, 12, errors, 0. Brooklyn—Hits, 6, errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	45	16	.736
Cincinnati	39	19	.673
Baltimore	39	21	.650
New York	37	23	.617
Cleveland	32	29	.525
Pittsburg	29	32	.475
Brooklyn	29	33	.468
Philadelphia	30	35	.462
Chicago	26	37	.413
Louisville	24	35	.407
Washington	23	36	.389
St. Louis	12	50	.194

KILLED BY DYNAMITE

A Workman Accidentally Strikes a Cartridge With Awful Effects.

Louisville, July 10.—A special from Lexington, Ky., says. While a gang of workmen were excavating on the line of the street railway one of them struck what appeared to be a piece of pipe, but which proved to be a 64 pound dynamite cartridge A fearful explosion followed, and five of the six negroes in the gang were blown to atoms. The other was so badly injured that he cannot recover The dead are Joe Collins, John Washington, Sam Truby, George Rose and Will Thomas.

The police are inclined to think the dynamite was placed there by some one who had a grudge against the street car company, and others think it was left there by workmen on the Cincinnati Southern railway some years ago, when they were making excavations for that road in the same neighborhood

Windows in the neighborhood were broken, and several buildings were slightly damaged.

Mysterious Disease Explained.

Boston, July 10.—The mysterious disease which has recently afflicted residents of Somerville and which baffled the physicians has been explained. The victims seemed to have been afflicted by ivy poisoning, the hands and arms reddening and swelling, but as a rule they could prove they had not touched ivy The employees of the Gypsy Moth commission say that the whole trouble comes from touching the brown tail moth, the new pest recently discovered in that vicinity. The commission is fighting the moth, and employees are killing them at the rate of 100,000 a day.

CIVIL SERVICE RULES

The President and the Commission Consult as to Their Revision.

TO MAKE SOME CHANGES IN THEM.

Important Places May Be Placed on the Excepted List—Action Will No Doubt Be Soon Taken In the Matter.

Washington, July 10.—The president and the members of the civil service commission have had a number of conferences recently on the question of a revision of the civil service rules so as to exempt certain important places which were included in Mr. Cleveland's last extension order. A final determination, however, has not been reached, but it is altogether probable that about 300 places will be taken out of the classified service.

These will include deputy collectors of customs who are in charge of substations and deputy collectors of internal revenue who have charge of the distribution of revenue stamps. There are approximately 150 of these places in each class. It is not proposed, however, to exempt the places from examination.

Contrary to the usual course, tentative appointments will be made as needed, and the appointee will then be ordered before the civil service commission for examination to test his fitness. In case of failure to pass a perfectly satisfactory examination his name must be withdrawn and another appointment made

It is argued that the positions which it is proposed to restore to the excepted list are of great importance and that as the stations of these officers are often far removed from that of their chief, who alone is responsible for their acts, he should have some voice in their selection.

The bonds furnished the government by collectors of customs and collectors of internal revenue cover all funds passing through the hands of agents and deputies, and it is contended that it is unjust to hold a collector responsible for the honesty of a man of whom he knows nothing. It is probable that the president will take action in the matter within the next few days.

Consul Lee's Accounting.

Washington, July 10.—United States Consul General Lee has been rendering some account to the government of his expenditures from the fund appropriated by congress for the relief of destitute American citizens in Cuba. His figures have been presented to the cabinet, and the showing was remarkable, for it appeared that of the total of $50,000 at the disposal of the consul general he had expended only $6,000, and yet had given substantial relief to every distressed American whom he could find ready to receive aid, and besides had shipped some of them back to the United States.

Locked the Watchman In a Car.

Providence, July 10.—Trainmen at work in the yard of the Narragansett Milling company at East Providence heard cries of a man coming from a box car, and on opening the door they found E A Sweet the watchman for the milling company, bound hand and foot On being released Mr. Sweet said that four masked men overpowered him and after binding him threw him into the freight car and closed the door. An examination of the company's office showed that the robbers had blown open the safe and secured $75 in money and some stamps. There is no clew to the desperadoes

Held on Suspicion.

Lockhaven, Pa., July 10.—John Cushen, one of the men who found the body of 6-year-old Edna Crider of Haneyville, who was feloniously assaulted and then murdered and Paul Kratzel, son of a Williamsport physician, have been placed in jail on suspicion of having murdered the child The officers claim to have strong circumstantial evidence against the accused

Electric Car Hits Hose Cart.

Chicago, July 10.—An electric car on the Ogden avenue line crashed into the hose cart of Company 31 causing a smash up in which four firemen and seven passengers were injured, though not fatally.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The North German Lloyd steamer Spree which sailed from New York on June 26 and which should have arrived at Bremen July 4 reached Queenstown in tow of the British steamer Maine

The schooner Annie L Russell of Wilmington, Del., and the barge Schuylkill, in tow of the tug Tamaqua, were in collision off Fort Delaware A seaman named Joseph Crampfield was drowned.

The governor of California has stated that he had decided not to take action in the matter of extending the reprieve of Theodore Durrant, whose appeal is pending before the United States supreme court.

The main storehouse of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, located at Packerton, Pa., was destroyed by fire. The loss will be about $60,000, nearly covered by insurance All the supplies stored in the building were practically destroyed

During the severe storm the residence of S. E North, four miles east of Larimore, S D., was struck by lightning, and Mr North his wife and 3-year-old child were killed The only member of the family who escaped was a 15-month-old child.

Edmund Davis, a well known lawyer doing business in Boston, committed suicide by shooting himself He was under arrest on a charge of embezzlement and was in custody of Deputy Sheriff Samuel Capen at his home at Hyde Park, Mass.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

A Tendency to Improvement Is Noticed In Most Manufacturing Branches.

New York, July 10.—Dun's Review in looking over the situation says: The analysis of failures for the half year, 6,937 in number, with liabilities amounting to $109,162,194, shows that commercial failures were smaller than last year by nearly $6,000,000, although failures of brokers and agents were larger by $1,100,000, and manufacturing failures by $2,800,000 But the manufacturing return would have been much the smallest for four years but for a few cotton failures at New Bedford, and decrease appears in most other branches. The trading failures are smaller than in the first half of the three previous years. The average of liabilities is lower in trading, and would be lower in manufacturing but for the few cotton failures, than in the first half of either previous year. In spite of a few failures attributed in court proceedings to misconduct, the tendency in most branches is toward improvement.

The strike of bituminous coal miners has taken 75,000 men or more from work, and threatens to restrict supplies of fuel in some quarters, though the West Virginia and some other mines which declined to take part claim to be able to meet the eastern demand for some months. At the west the strike is by no means unitedly sustained, and the impression prevails that it will not last long. The tin plate works have settled the wage question and are again busy and show a production of 4,500,000 boxes yearly, with a capacity of 6,250,000 boxes. The bar mills have more trouble, but a general settlement of iron and steel wages is expected without much delay.

While the most cautious estimates of wheat yield have been advanced to 575,000,000 bushels prices have been lifted nearly 3¼ cents here, although Atlantic exports, flour included, were for the week 1 503,953 bushels, against 1,418,336 last year Western receipts are small, only 1,394,632 bushels, against 2,973,409 last year, and the disposition of farmers to hold for higher figures is strengthened by many foreign reports It seems to be a fact that crops in other countries are less promising than usual, and the demand for American wheat is supplemented even at this season by exports of 2,605,594 bushels corn against 530,610 bushels for the same week last year. Each week raises the estimate of wheat yield, however, and if the weather continues favorable the crop may prove a most important factor in the future of national and international business. The prospect as to corn is growing more cheerful with each week, and an immense crop is now anticipated.

While imports of foreign merchandise at New York last week showed an increase of 37 per cent, against a decline in exports, these conditions are evidently temporary Imports will shrink materially as soon as the tariff bill which was passed by the senate on Wednesday goes into effect, while exports will increase with the more liberal movement of new crops. The amount of payments through clearing houses is 9.2 per cent larger than last year and for July thus far 2 per cent larger than in 1892. Failures for the week have been 206 in the United States against 215 last year, and 30 in Canada against 39 last year.

TROY HOSPITAL SCANDAL.

Two Nurses Accused of Having Caused the Death of a Patient.

Troy, N Y., July 10.—Serious charges against the Troy hospital are being investigated by a coroner's jury. Charles H Pixley, who has been an inmate of the Troy hospital, complained to the coroner that George Horan had been murdered in the hospital

Mr. Pixley said that Mr. Horan occupied a cot next to him in the hospital. During the night he became delirious, and Cornelius Finnegan, the night nurse at the hospital, and the day nurse, called Phil had strapped Horan to the bed. They left him, and later Horan succeeded in loosening the straps and arose from his bed

When the nurses again came into the ward they found Horan sitting upon the edge of another cot. Finnegan, Mr. Pixley says grabbed Horan by the throat and choked him The day nurse then came up and brutally beat the delirious patient.

They then dragged him back to his cot strapped his hands and feet together and bound him to the bed They then tied a sheet over his head and left him Horan remained in this condition until the following night at 8 o'clock, when the nurses removed the sheet and straps and found their patient dead He was carried immediately to the deadhouse and buried on the following day

Coroner Meredith had the body exhumed and an autopsy performed by Drs Finder, Farse and Wheeler They found the eyes discolored the face badly bruised and several severe bruises about the body. The coroner then empanelled a jury, and an inquest is now in progress

A RUSSIAN EMBEZZLER.

To Be Surrendered to the Authorities of His Own Country.

Washington July 10.—The state department has just issued a warrant for the surrender of the Russian embezzler whose doings at the New Jersey summer resorts and sensational pursuit and escape from the police aroused much interest last spring. His name is Gustav Frederick Virpi, and he was a mail carrier on the route between Ulenburg and Ostermeyra, in Finland. He made away with 3,500 marks and came to this country

Arrested in New Jersey upon the evidence of his abused mistress, he was allowed to go free by a commissioner who erroneously held that our treaty with Russia required formal notice of the fact that the man was wanted on certain charges, to be presented through the consuls. The police undertook to arrest him again, and he led them a long chase before they secured him. Commissioner Semple in New York committed him for return to Russia.

SCROFLA CURED.

E. C. Caswell, of Brockport, N. Y., says: "I was terribly afflicted with scrofula and had lost all hope of being cured. A friend advised me to take

DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY

which I did with great benefit, and recommend it to others." It restores the liver to a healthy condition and cures constipation, scrofula, rheumatism, dyspepsia and all kidney, bladder and urinary diseases.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the city of Middletown, N. Y., until 8 p. m., July 12th, 1897 to be addressed to E. M. Hamilton, City Clerk, Times Building, and to be marked on the outside of envelope, "Bid for street improvement materials," for the following approximate quantities, the city reserving the right to increase or diminish the quantity of each item, and also the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be upon one or all of the items in the schedule.

Ninety thousand 4x6x12 Asphalt Blocks.

Two hundred and twenty-three thousand Vitrified Brick.

Four hundred and sixty-five barrels of Rosendale Cement.

Thirty-five barrels of American Portland Cement.

Three hundred and seventy-five cubic yards of Sand.

Prices on Asphalt Block, Vitrified Brick and Crment to be f. o. b. cars Middletown, N. Y. Price on sand to be delivered on the work where directed by the engineer.

A sample of each material bid upon to be sent to the City Engineer' office.

88dtoJly12 D. W. BERRY, Mayor.

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Charles S. Borland, late of the town of Goshen, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, Mary A. Borland, the executrix o the last will and testament of said deceased, at her place of residence, in the town of Goshen, on or before the 26th day of July next.

Dated January 23d, 1897.

MARY A. BORLAND, Executrix.
mSat Jly24 JOHN H. BORLAND, Executor

SUPREME Court, county of Orange N. Y. — Mary C. Selleck, plaintiff, against Isaac S. Little and Georgianna Little, his wife, Fannie J. Smith, Harlan P. Little and Mary Little, his wife: Alfred M. Selleck and Mary Selleck, his wife; Sarah E. Selleck, George W. Selleck, Mary Jane Mills, Helen Augusta Bell and William Bell, her husband; Charles Mills and Annie Mills, his wife; Fannie J. Currie and Daniel A. Currie, her husband; Ethelbert Selleck and Hester A. Selleck, his wife; Isaac Selleck and Mary Selleck, his wife, and Mary Alice Selleck, defendants.

In pursuance of the interlocutory judgment of partition and sale, duly made and entered in the above action, and dated on the third day of July, 1897, I, William J. Burke, the undersigned, the referee named in said judgment named, will sell in one parcel, at public auction, at the Holding House, a public hotel situate on East Main street, in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., on Wednesday, July 28th, 1897, at two o'clock p. m., of that day, the premises in the interlocutory judgment mentioned and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot of land, with all the buildings and other improvements thereon, situate in the town of Wallkill (now city of Middletown), Orange county, and State of New York, said lot is seventy-five feet front and rear, and one hundred and sixty-five feet deep, being known and more fully described as lot No. sixteen, on a map of the lands of Israel O. Beattie, made by William W. Reeve, on the 17th day of May, 1856, which map is filed in the County Clerk's office of Orange county, New York.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., July 6th, 1897

WILLIAM J. BURKE, Referee.

GEO. H. DECKER, Plaintiff's Attorney, 16 East Main street, Middletown, N. Y.
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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, N. Y., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Daniel Thompson, deceased, late of the town of Crawford, in said county, that they are required to present such claims or statements thereof, with proper vouchers or verification thereof, to the subscriber, the administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at her residence, in said town of Crawford, on or before the 27th day of December, 1897.

Dated June 23d, 1897.

ANNA THOMPSON, Administratrix.
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SUPREME Court, Orange county — Louisa Storch vs John V. Owen, et al.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, made and entered in the above entitled action, bearing date the 12th day of June, 1897, I, the undersigned Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Holding House, a hotel on East Main street, in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., on the 30th day of July, 1897, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows:

All that tract or parcel of land, situate in the village of Bellville, county of Orange, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stake set in the ground in the northwesterly line of the Middletown and Crawford Railroad Company lands, and at the easterly corner of said Rogerson's store and dwelling house lot, opposite the railway station, and said stake is twenty-four feet on a course of north fifty-six and one-half degrees east from the center of butternut tree; thence running from said stake above mentioned along the northwest line of said railway company's lands, north forty-seven and one-half degrees east eighty-four feet to a stake in the middle of a stone row; thence north forty-five and one-quarter degrees west thirty-three feet to a stake; thence south forty-seven degrees west seventy-six feet to a stake in the line of the said store house lot; thence south thirty-three and three quarter degrees, east thirty-three feet to the place of beginning, be the same more or less.

Dated June 16th, 1897.

W. F. O'NEILL, Referee.

VANAMEE, WATTS & VAIL, Plaintiff's Attorneys, Middletown, N. Y. dThuTuJly29

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The property known as the

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A TALE OF SUFFERING

Fever Breaks Out on Board a Brig Soon After Leaving Port.

PILOT REFUSED TO COME ON BOARD.

Forbidden to Land on Rodriguez Island and Assistance Refused — Physician Would Not Treat the Sufferers. The Vessel Finally Wrecked.

Liverpool, July 10.—In an interview with Mrs. Andrew Christie, widow of Captain Christie of the wrecked British ship Traveler, which went on the reefs off the island of Rodrigues, in the Indian ocean, 330 miles northeast of Mauritius on Feb. 4 last, Mrs. Christie tells a terrible story of the sufferings of the survivors.

Almost immediately after the Traveler left Java for the Delaware breakwater, the Java river fever broke out and spread rapidly. Everybody on board was more or less affected, including the Christie baby, which died and was buried at sea. Another victim leaped overboard and was drowned. On Dec. 14 the chief officer died and on Dec. 28 Captain Christie, leaving only ten men to work the ship.

Second Mate Ritch then decided to steer for Mauritius, and when the Traveler finally approached Rodrigues island only he and two seamen were able to work.

A pilot who put out from the island, on learning the state of affairs, refused to go on board and returned to the shore, where he spread the report that everybody on the Traveler had the yellow fever.

Hours passed, and no assistance came. The second mate, fearing that the Traveler would go ashore, launched a boat and took the sick survivors with him with a view of landing them.

Forbidden to Land.

The governor and inhabitants rushed down to the shore and threatened to shoot them if they landed. Mr. Ritch appealed to them, imploring them if they were Christians not to behave inhumanly. He said that his men were too weak to pull back and that if they succeeded in getting there they would probably be drowned. He asked for assistance to take the Traveler out of her dangerous position and begged for medicine.

His appeals were roughly ignored, and he was obliged to put about and go back to the vessel, which they finally reached, almost dead from exhaustion and despair. The last man had scarcely quitted the rowboat when it was swept away and lost.

No assistance came, and that night the Traveler was carried upon the reefs and wrecked.

The next morning the islanders sent a pilot and brought off Mrs. Christie, her surviving child and others, and then, with the assistance of blacks from the island, the survivors were taken to a desolate sand island in the vicinity, where they were kept for 22 days, living in huts made of leaves and with nothing but leaves to lie upon.

Physician Refused to Go on Board.

So fearful were the islanders of contact that the food for the survivors was transferred from boat to boat before it was finally left upon the beach of the sand island. Blacks were sent to cook it, but no physician came for a fortnight, and even when he did come, according to Mrs. Christie, he did not land, but examined the sick through a glass from his boat.

Meanwhile two had died, and the second mate was the only man strong enough to dig their graves. On the twenty-second day, realizing that the monsoon would soon submerge the sand island, the inhabitants moved the unfortunates to Rodrigues, where they remained two months and were well treated.

From that point they were carried to Mauritius and then proceeded homeward.

Mrs. Christie says that the behavior of the islanders is all the more inexplicable in view of the fact that they allowed a large part of the cargo of the Traveler to be saved.

Jumped From the Bridge on a Wager.

Troy, N. Y., July 10.—On a wager of $50, William Rainey of this city jumped from the toolhouse in the center of the Congress street bridge, a distance of 100 feet, into the Hudson river. Mr. Rainey said that he sustained no inconvenience from his experience other than a slight lameness in his back. He says he may decide to jump from the Brooklyn bridge shortly. Mr. Rainey weighs 200 pounds.

Died From Her Injuries.

Boston, July 10.—Mrs. Sarah Cushing, who was injured by the falling of an elevator at 3 Louisburg square, has died at the Massachusetts General hospital. The accident was caused by the breaking of a cogwheel in the elevator shaft. Mrs. John D. McCoy, who was also injured, will, it is believed, recover.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet and steady; city mills patents, $4.05@4.95; winter patents, $4.30@4.65; city mills clears, $4.00@4.75; winter straights, $3.95@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened fairly steady, advanced on foreign buying, but weakened under favorable home crop news; July, 77½@78c.; September, 71⅞@72½c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 37@37¼c., c. i. f., Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 opened steady and advanced on good covering; September, 32⅛@32⅜c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and featureless; track, white, state, 24@30c.; track, white, western, 24@30c.

PORK—Dull; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $4.15 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 7½@7⅝c.; small, 7¼@7½c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12½@12½c.; western, 11c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined steady; crushed, 5½c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4⅛@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4⅝c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 3⅛c.; country, 3¼c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@72½c.

COERCION TO BE TRIED

The Embassadors May Send a Fleet to Turkish Waters.

THE SULTAN APPEALS TO AUSTRIA.

He Is Advised to Submit to the Will of the European Powers—The German Emperor Also Advises Him.

London, July 10.—A dispatch from Constantinople says that the embassadors of the powers are considering the question of making a further demand upon the porte for an explicit reply to their proposals in regard to the establishment of the Greco-Turkish frontier, and it is probable that they will recommend that their respective governments recall them and organize a naval demonstration in the Bosporus. In political circles in Constantinople it is believed that unless some decisive action is made to compel the porte to yield no progress can be made in the direction of the conclusion of peace.

The Turkish squadron in the Dardanelles has been ordered to get in readiness to sail for Crete with three months' provisions.

Francis Joseph Advises the Sultan.

Vienna, July 10.—The Turkish embassador, Mahmoud Nedim Bey, having made representations to Emperor Francis Joseph in favor of the annexation of northern Thessaly to Turkey, the sultan telegraphed to the emperor appealing to the emperor for his friendship. To this message from the sultan the emperor sent the folowing reply:

"As a friend I must advise you in your own interest and that of Turkey to conclude peace forthwith upon the basis which has been unanimously proposed by the embassadors of the European powers."

Emperor William Advises Acceptance.

Berlin, July 10.—The Frankfort Zeitung has published a dispatch from Constantinople saying that Emperor William, through the German embassador there, Baron Baurma von Jeltsch, has expressed the hope that the sultan will not resist the desire of the powers for the evacuation of Thessaly by the Turkish troops.

Foul Play Suspected.

Salem, Mass., July 10.—District Attorney White has ordered an autopsy on the body of D. W. Shay, who was found dead under peculiar circumstances in the barn of L. E. Miller in the rear of the Woodbine saloon at Peabody on Wednesday night. It is learned that Shay came to Salem Wednesday morning in company with a friend and that he told several people that the purpose of his visit was to have his property transferred to his friend. His body was found in the barn that night, and no traces of the so called friend can be found, although the property was transferred Wednesday afternoon.

A Strange Conflagration.

Cleveland, July 10.—A spectacle unique for a city was furnished when a strip of land a quarter of a mile in breadth took fire and the flames hurried on to the lake. It looked exactly like a prairie fire. A tangled mass of underbrush extending along the Gordon estate from St. Clair street to the lake took fire and jeopardized the existence of an entire street of 20 houses. The fire department had to fight the flames as prairie fires are fought, by digging trenches and banking up the dirt as a protecting wall. Thousands went out to see the peculiar sight.

Afraid of Lynching.

Highland Falls, N. Y., July 10.—Edward Jones, colored, has pleaded guilty to criminally assaulting Miss Anna Terwilliger of Walden, N. Y., and has been held without bail for the grand jury. The court was held in a vacant house in an isolated part of this town. It was feared that the freely expressed threats of lynching might be carried into effect if it were known that Jones could be got at. Jones was brought here from the Newburg jail, where he has been since Wednesday. The assault was committed last Tuesday at a picnic here.

Train Breaks Apart.

Millbury, Mass., July 10.—A south bound extra freight train, No. 838, broke apart while running through the gravel pit at Saundersville, on the Consolidated road. The two divisions of the train came together with a tremendous crash on a down grade, derailing seven cars. One loaded box car was demolished. The other cars were only slightly damaged. Brakeman Bartlett of Providence was pitched from the top of a car and considerably shaken up and bruised.

Old Lady Murderously Assaulted.

Bridgeton, N. J., July 10.—Mrs. Abbie Myers, aged 70 years, was murderously assaulted by Joseph Morrison. She says he knocked her down at her home at Turkey Point, then drew a revolver and fired. She struck the weapon with her arm, thus changing the course of the bullet and saving her life. Morrison was captured and placed in jail. Mrs. Myers made affidavit that Morrison was hired to shoot her by relatives who want to get possession of her farm.

Smuggled Tobacco Seized.

New York, July 10.—Customs inspectors have seized two lots of smuggled tobacco worth altogether about $2,000. The first seizure was made at a hotel, corner of Dey and West streets, where several bales of Sumatra tobacco were found. Later 100 small packages of choice leaf tobacco were discovered hidden aboard the Red Star liner Southwark. It is believed that the tobacco was smuggled into this country by members of the crew of the steamer.

Fire Caused by Gasoline.

Portland, Me., July 10.—The house and stable of Herbert A. Harmon, at Woodfords, has been burned to the ground. The fire caught from the gasoline stove. All the furniture and the clothing of the family were destroyed, and Mr. Harmon estimates the total loss at $12,000. The property was partially insured.

Arrested on a Charge of Murder.

Bracebridge, Ont., July 10.—Frederick Stayner is under arrest here on a charge of murder, committed in Rochester. Stayner has been about Allandale and this place for about a week.

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Ladies' Bleached Ribbed Vests, nicely trimmed with lace. We bought way under price 200 doz of this one kind; they are 18c goods. There is only 50 dozen left. Price 10 cents each.

At 15c each, fine bleached Egyptian Yarn Ladies' Vests, with silk ribbon around neck, shaped body. We have only a small lot of these bought way under price, that's why we have marked them 15c each, regular price 25 cents.

Men's Gray Mixed Summer Shirts or Drawers. They are fine gauze goods, all sizes, usually sell or 39c., at Tompkins' 19 cents each.

A PARASOL BARGAIN is a 24 inch Black Gloria Silk Parasol, with steel rod and Congo handle, regular $1.25 goods, at Tompkins' 75 cents each.

A HAMMOCK BARGAIN--A Cotton Cord Hammock, colored white, red and yellow, with pillow and iron rod stretcher, sold nowhere for less than $1, at Tompkins' 75 cents each.

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Ladies' Sailor Hats—Nice assortment of Milan, Panama and Rough Straw, and all marked at small dry goods profit.

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ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

Although the bids for brick for paving the streets, this summer, will not be opened until Monday night, the brick salesmen are already upon the scene. Of course they won't talk to any of the aldermen before Monday night—they are only here for the purpose of looking over the streets.

Walter Startup returns from Money Island much the worse for wear, or rather for what he didn't wear on the sands. His face, neck and back are blistered to a very painful degree, and he limps along the streets in slippers. his feet in bandages. Mrs. F. M. Stratton, who scorched on the Delaware River July 5th, will remain indoors for several days yet. W. F. Royce, who also tried the Kneipp treatment on the sand at Money Island, has been wearing slippers for a week. The sun must be very warm at Money Island.

Editor Scriber, of the Monticello *Watchman*, was in attendance at the Red Men's convention, Friday night. He is an old newspaper man and incidentally referring to Rev. Dr. William A. Robinson, pastor of the First Congregational Church, he said: "I reported a sermon of his at Homer, twelve years ago." Mr. Scriber also stated that old Monticello holds her own as a summer retreat. The hotels are filling up rapidly and the boarding houses have the usual quota of guests.

Did you ever notice how the average person riding on a trolley car through a passing switch always strains his eyes when the other car passes to see every person, and if possible to bow to them singly? The open car uprights, however, pass in such quick succession that only a poor look is secured at best. Yet they all do it—don't you?

Some friends who accompanied Jester, the ventriloquist, to Midway Park, Friday night, report that they had more fun than a box of monkeys. Jester sat down on a seat near the Schmitt & Bachman annex and called the bartender out of the southeast corner of his mouth. The latter started in the direction from which the voice seemed to come and was unable to find any one. He was returning, nonplused, when there came cries of "Help! Help!" Running over where Jester and his friends sat he said: "Did you hear that?" When they informed him that they had not heard anything, he walked to the edge of the clearing and listened intently. The call came again. "Help! Help!"

"Say, boys," shouted the bartender, "Somebody's drowning. Run up and tell Durham." Jester told him to go, but the latter replied: "No, sir, you don't get me on any coroner's jury."

The joke was explained to him, and then the party went to the pavilion and had Officer Durham hunting for the fellow who was calling him.

"I wish you could have been with me last night," said a friend, to-day, "and witnessed a little incident I saw. I was bound for Midway Park, and just ahead of me sat a couple of well known young people. She had hold of the brass hand rail and a diamond flashed independently even when the lights in the car were highest. Just ahead of them sat another couple. They were a little older than the first couple, and as they alighted at the lady's home the gentleman just in front of me turned and remarked: 'I wonder if they mean business?' I replied: 'I guess they'll be married this fall,' and added: 'I wonder if there are any others on this car.' Say! you should have seen the speed with which that young lady's diamond hand sought her lap.'"

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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from Our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide Awake Correspondents.

—The sale of tickets at the Monticello station were $100 in excess of the sales for the corresponding month, last year. The road expects a good summer business.

—The school for "Ethical Culture," of which Prof. Felix Adler is president, is now domiciled at the Thompsonville Manor House.

—Hon. Henry Bacon has offered through his agent, Thos. Kane, a valuable mill site to any one who will start some manufacturing business at Thompsonville. This is a fine opportunity for some enterprising man.—*Watchman.*

—A tramp stole a valuable gun from William Simpson, of Thompsonville, a few nights ago.

—Callie, the ten-year-old daughter of George Cooper, of DeBruce, had her leg broken by falling from a hammock, a few days ago.

—Byron A. Kilbourne, of Liberty, won the Cornell scholarship at the recent examination in Monticello.

—John Manion, of White Sulphur Springs, lost a pair of valuable horses, last week. They are supposed to have been poisoned by eating red elders.

—It is proposed to start a camp of Sons of Veterans in Monticello.

—A large acreage will be devoted to buckwheat culture in this county this year.

—The summer mail routes went into effect last week. The White Lake route, morning and evening, is being covered by Charles Phillips; the Fallsburgh mail is carried by Robert Hall, and the Jeffersonville mail is being carried daily by George Beaim.—*Monticello Republican.*

—The Sullivan County Soldiers' Reunion will be held this year at Centreville Station, under the auspices of Hammond Post, Wednesday, Aug. 18th.

—Louis J. Weed and Wm. Garner have been appointed night police for Monticello.

—The property formerly owned by S. B. Higenbotam, near Monticello, has been sold to Floyd J. Pelton, who expects to occupy it soon.

—The Raines law tax receipts to July 6th in this county amount to $13,391. In all 140 certificates, eight of them for stores, have been issued.

—An old fashioned camp meeting, in which Mrs. Van Cott and other noted preachers and evangelists will take part, is announced to be held at Phillipsport, July 23d.

—Sullivan county last year, and up to June 30th, 1897, paid the State $5,164.96 in collateral inheritance tax. Of that amount $4,980.95 was paid in 1896. The George McKenzie estate, which was settled in January, 1896, paid to the State $833.33 in inheritance tax and was the largest estate to be settled in that year.—*Watchman.*

—The Monticello and Fallsburgh Turnpike Co. held its annual election on Tuesday afternoon. The old officers were re-elected as follows: President, T. A. Niven: Treas., Jno. F. Tymeson: Secretary, S. B. Greene: Directors, T. A. Niven, Geo. M. Beebe, Jno. F. Tymeson, S. B. Johnson, S. B. Greene, D. S. Avery and George H. Smith.—*Watchman.*

—Liberty's Assessors have placed $202,240 of personal property on the tax roll. Last year the personal assessment in the town was $81,500 and in the whole county but $136,137. In five towns, Delaware, Forestburgh, Lumberland, Mamakating and Tusten no personal property was assessed last year.

—Although $700 was subscribed in Liberty to maintain a ball nine, the plans have miscarried and present indications are that there will be no local nine in the field.

—A bolt of lightning went down the chimney and into the cellar of M. Bomberger's new house at Jeffersonville during Tuesday's shower but did no damage.

—Mrs. Kohler, the aged mother of Mrs. Charles A. Raunt, of Jeffersonville, slipped on some small object while walking across the floor, the other day, and falling, broke her hip.

Thrown from a Load of Hay.

From Our Circleville Correspondent.

Robert Shaw, of near this place, met with quite a serious accident, Tuesday afternoon. A load of hay on which he was riding upset and he was thrown off, striking his side on a wheel. One of his ribs was broken and he was otherwise injured.

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

—Bethel A. M. E Church, Rev. T. J. Jackson, pastor—Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 3 p. m.

—Faith Mission, 11 Mill street, Elder D. L. Conkling, pastor. You will be made welcome to any or all of the services at the Mission. Sunday School, 2 p. m.; preaching 3 and 7:30 p. m.

—First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Thomas Gordon, D. D., pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Juniors at 3:30 p. m.; Young People's service, 6:30 p. m.

—East Main Street Mission—Sunday School 3 p. m.; preaching service by Rev Geo. C. Frost, 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation to all.

—St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Frank L. Wilson, D. D., pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; class meeting, 9:45 a. m.; Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:30 p. m. Seats free and strangers cordially invited.

—North End M. E. Chapel—Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Robert Lawrence, Supt.

—W. C. T. U., 134 North street—Services at 3 o'clock. The public is invited to attend

—Grace (Episcopal) Church, Rev. D. J. Evans, B. A., rector—4th Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11 a. m.; Evening Prayer, 7:30 p. m.

—First Congregational Church, Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., pastor—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; young people's service, 6:30 p. m. Evening subject: "Why Stop Short of the Best?" Cordial welcome to all.

—First Baptist Church, Rev. Frank A. Heath, pastor. Bible School at 9:30 a. m.; morning service at 11 a. m.; prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Bought by Christ; Free from Man." Evening subject: "Doing good to our city; an example and an exhortation."

—Christ Church (Universalist) Assembly Room, 61 North street. Rev. J. Newton Emery pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "How the word made flesh is the glory of the Universalist faith." Evening, service of song and devotion All are invited.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Night Watchman of the Troy Hospital Charged With Beating a Patient.

Troy, N. Y., July 10.—George Horan, a painter, died at the Troy hospital Tuesday, and Charles A. Pixley, an inmate, charged that he had been murdered by Philip Crossen, the night watchman in the institution. The body had been interred. It was exhumed Thursday, and an autopsy was held by four leading physicians

At the coroner's inquest several witnesses testified that Crossen, the night watchman, had strapped Horan to a cot and beaten him in the face with a strap, after which he left him there until he died Tuesday night. The inquest has been concluded, and the jury found that Horan came to his death possibly from alcoholism and that it was hastened by blows struck on the face of the deceased by Philip Crossen.

Illness of Playwright Gillette.

London, July 10.—Mr. William Gillette, the American playwright and actor, has been dangerously ill for more than a week and been confined to his bed most of the time. He will be compelled to retire from the stage for the present and to relinquish play writing indefinitely. As soon as he is able to be moved he will return to the United States. His health is very much broken.

DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

A Waverly Man, Whose Wife Had Left Him, Shoots Her and Himself.

Elmira, N. Y., July 10.—A special from Waverly, N. Y., says: A tragedy has occurred in this village, as a result of which H. Masterson, a resident of this village is dead and his wife is not expected to live. Masterson and his wife lived on Chemung street and have had frequent quarrels of late.

Tuesday night Mrs. Masterson became afraid of her husband and notified the police. They responded and took a revolver away from him. Since then Mrs. Masterson has kept away from her husband, being in fear of her life. Yesterday afternoon Masterson called to see her. He had been drinking. She refused to see him, but he insisted, stating that he wanted to kiss her.

At his request she opened the door of the house, whereupon Masterson drew a revolver and fired three shots, which took effect in her side, shoulder and breast. Masterson then turned the weapon upon himself and fired the remaining shots into his shoulder, breast and arm.

Food, undigested is poison. Digested, it is life and strength. Millions of us suffer from indigestion, but we think it is something else. Even doctors often mistake the symptoms.

Pale, thin people, who are overworked, who need strength, who seem in want of proper food, should take Shaker Digestive Cordial. It is astonishing what food will do, when properly digested.

It will make you strong, revive you, refresh you, sustain you, make you fat, restore your color, make muscle, brain fibre, courage, endurance, energy: increase your power to throw of disease and keep you healthy and happy.

Indigestion does just the opposite, but indigestion can be cured and prevented with Shaker Digestive Cordial.

Sold by druggist. Trial bottle 10 cents.

There is a time for everything, and the time to attend to a cold is when it starts. Don't wait till you have consumption but prevent it by using One Minute Cough Cure, the great remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

Hood's Pills

insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

Ladies Who Value

A refined complexion must use Pozzoni's Powder. It produces a soft and beautiful skin.

MUNYON'S Asthma Cure, with Munyon's Asthma herbs, will cure this awful complaint when everything else fails. Munyon's Remedies, a separate cure for each disease, for sale at all druggists. Mostly 25c. When in doubt, write to Prof. Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., for free medical advice

ASTHMA CURE

YOUR CHOICE OF 425 PREMIUMS

Ranging from a Child's Picture Book to a Solid Silver Watch. Ask for a list. Receiving almost daily

30 and 18 Pound Packages New DAIRY BUTTER

13 to 16 cents per pound by the package. Celery, Cabbage and Cauliflower Plants New Potatoes 35 cents per peck, Green Peas 30 cents, Lettuce, Cucumbers, Yellow Wax Beans, Tomatoes, Onions, Radishes, Asparagus, Beets, Cherries, Strawberries, etc.

W. H FOSTER,
30 East Main Street.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessors of the city of Middletown, N. Y., have completed their assessment roll for the present year, and that a copy thereof is left at the City Clerk's office, Times Building, corner King and Centre streets, in said city, where the same may be seen and examined by any person interested until July 26th, 1897, and on that day the Assessors will meet at said City Clerk's office to review their assessments on application of any person considering themselves aggrieved.

Dated July 2d, 1897.

J. J. DURYEA, S. S. PURVIS, W. E. McWILLIAMS, } Assessors.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Hugh McD. Struble, late of the city of Middletown in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the administrators of all and singular, the goods chattels and credits of said deceased, at the office of D. F. Seward, 25 North street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of November next.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

MARY E. STRUBLE, ALBERT H. CORWIN, } Administrators.

D. F. SEWARD, Atty for Admrs, 25 North St, Middletown, N. Y. d6w6mNov19

PEOPLE KNOW

When we advertise a reduction in prices, that it means something. That's why our Bargain Sales are a success. We have made a

Big Cut in the Price of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Tan Shoes and Oxfords

OF

25 TO 60 CTS. A PAIR REDUCTION

WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY if you follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S.
No. 43 North Street.

Cherry Currants 5 CTS. A QUART.

C. N. PREDMORE & SON.

Ladies' Suits!

must go if the price will do it. All Wool Serge, black, blue and colors, only $4.98, worth double the money.

Duck Suits!

from 98 cents up. A beautiful suit for $1.48. Look at our Shirt Waists, Belts, etc.

M. KATZINGER'S NEW IDEA

Corner North and West Main street, Middletown, N. Y.

"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

SAPOLIO

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificate of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

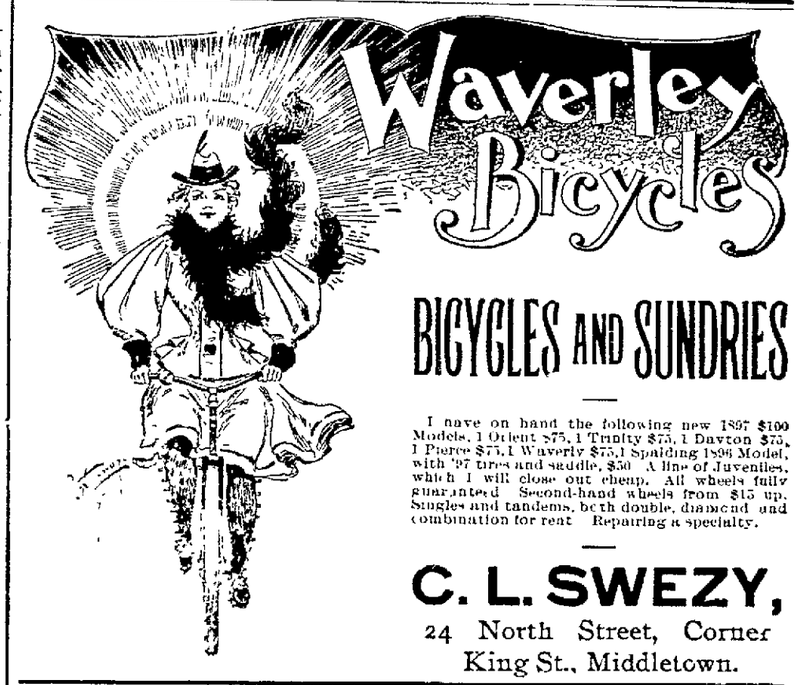
By order Board of Directors.

SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.

1896 DOCKASH LINE OF RANGES!

s the finest production in the stove line ever ffered to the public. Extra large high ovens, movable grate bars and the prices, they will surprise you. Over 1,400 sold by us in this city and vicinity.

BRINK & CLARK, 28 North and 7 King Streets



BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES

I have on hand the following new 1897 $100 Models, 1 Orient $75, 1 Trinity $75, 1 Dayton $75, 1 Pierce $75, 1 Waverly $75, 1 Spalding 1896 Model, with '97 tires and saddle, $50. A line of Juveniles, which I will close out cheap. All wheels fully guaranteed. Second-hand wheels from $15 up. Singles and tandems, both double, diamond and combination for rent. Repairing a specialty.

C. L. SWEZY,
24 North Street, Corner King St., Middletown.

Ball Bearing Bicycle Shoes

for men, in black and tan. Ladies' Bicycle Shoes in vici kid and canvas tops. These goods are all made of good materials, and will fit and wear well, and are sold at prices as low as good shoes can be sold at the One Price Shoe Store of

J. G. HARDING
25 West Main St., Middletown.

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ISSUED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

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THE EXTENSIVE BONA-FIDE CIRCULATION of the ARGUS and MERCURY makes them excellent advertising mediums. Being the only Democratic papers published in Middletown, they have a field exclusively their own. Rates on application.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.—Thunder storms to-night, and Sunday not so warm.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., **79°**; 12 m., **95°**; 3 p. m., **98°**.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—July 15—Lawn social at residence of P. D. Nearing, 109 West Main street.
—Aug 5—Clam bake at Midway Park.
—Aug 10-13—Orange County Circuit, at Fair Grounds
—August 18—Millard Division's clam bake, at Liberty.

SATURDAY, JULY 10, 1897.

The decision, reached yesterday by the representatives of all the great labor organizations, to extend moral and financial aid to the striking coal miners puts a new phase on the strike situation. All radical propositions looking to a general sympathetic strike were frowned down and the very wise and practical decision was reached to assess the 700,000 members of the Federation of Labor two cents a week for the aid of the striking miners. With the fund thus provided, the more pressing needs of the strikers can be provided for, and the prolongation of the strike assured.

The long continued and intense heat is shown by the police reports of the large cities to cause an increase in the number of suicides. It is also responsible for a marked increase in the number of lunacy cases. It is easy to see why this should be so. A morbid person, debating whether life is worth living, might very naturally have the scale turned in favor of death by the discomfort that the heat entails, and a mind tottering on the verge of insanity might easily be toppled over the brink by weather so intensely hot that it makes all humanity fretful and irritable and unlike their normal selves.

Ex-President Cleveland was roasted by a Mrs. Bourne at the W. C. T. U. Convention at Ocean Grove, yesterday, for signing an application for a license for the Princeton Inn. At the conclusion of the address a resolution condemning Mr. Cleveland for assisting to secure a liquor license was unanimously passed. Then, as if to show that there is no politics in the W. C. T. U.'s dispensations or its condemnations, a resolution was passed anathematizing Gov. Griggs for signing the application for the license that has just been granted the club house at Sea Girt.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—H. A. Gillis, formerly of Port Jervis, who has been roadmaster on the Norfolk and Western, has resigned.

—The O. and W. bridge carpenters have begun the work of replacing the bridge over East Brook at Walton with an iron structure.

—The Highway Commissioners of Deerpark have notified the Erie to place gates at the Sparrowbush crossing, where several accidents have recently occurred. The crossing is regarded as a dangerous one.

—George W. Bartlett, formerly roadmaster of the Erie's Delaware Division, has been promoted from track supervisor to roadmaster of a division of the Southern Railroad. His headquarters are at Columbia, S. C

SENATOR QUAY WANTS TO SUCCEED HIMSELF.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 10.—Senator Quay authorizes the announcement that he will be a candidate for the United States Senate to succeed himself. This sets at rest the story that he would retire from politics.

The McAvoy Examination Still in Progress.

The examination of Joseph McAvoy, charged with having caused the death of Patrick McEneaney is still on progress before Justice McCormick in Port Jervis.

My Neighbor Told Me
about Hood's Sarsaparilla and advised me to try it. This is the kind of advertising which gives Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world. Friend tells friend that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures, that it gives strength, health, vitality and vigor, and whole neighborhoods use it as a family medicine.

HOOD'S PILLS act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure.
Pleasant, quick results, safe to use.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE.

Almost Certain to Succeed if the West Virginia Miners Can Be Induced to Go Out.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PITTSBURG, PA., July 10.—The critical point of the miners' strike is the situation in West Virginia, where the labor leaders have decided to send organizers and furnish funds to bring out the miners.

Baltimore and Ohio officials report all mines closed in the gas coal region between Pittsburg and Connellsville, and on the Wheeling Division between Pittsburg and Elm Grove.

From Columbus comes a denial by W. C. Pearce, Secretary of the United Mine Workers, of any intention to stop coal trains en route in West Virginia.

The miners' officials declare that with West Virginia in line the strike will be successful and neither money nor effort will be spared to close all mines in that State.

Coal is very scarce in the Pittsburg markets and it is impossible to get it in carload lots in Cleveland. Fuel coal is also very scarce and the situation serious.

THE TARIFF BILL.

Republican Conferees Will Work, Sunday, and Hope to Reach a Conclusion by Tuesday.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—After hesitation and discussion as to the necessity, the Republican conferees on the tariff bill have concluded to continue to work, Sunday. It is hoped a decision will be reached by the middle of next week. The advice of the President has been sought on the reciprocity provision, and it is understood he has expressed himself as favoring the policy of allowing considerable latitude and upon liberal principles.

The House representatives have conceded three-fourths of the Senate amendments on the ground that the latter body had more time for careful consideration. It is expected the Democratic conferees will be called in by Tuesday.

POWERS' NOTE TO TURKEY.

Couched in Servere Terms but May Not Bring the Porte to Terms.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 10.—The collective note of the Powers presented by the Ambassadors to the Turkish government, yesterday, is couched in most severe terms.

It insists that the frontier between Greece and Turkey be traced by the military attaches of Embassies of the Powers and emphasises the unanimous determination to secure the prompt conclusion of peace.

As, however, the note does not fix the date within which the settlement of the question in dispute must be effected, and as it does not mention the steps proposed in event of Turkey not yielding, there is great doubt whether the note will have the desired effect.

COOLER WEATHER IN SIGHT.

The Instense Heat Broken in the West—Will Be Cooler Here To-morrow Afternoon.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK, July 10—A special bulletin issued at 8 a. m. says the intense heat of the last ten days has at last been broken by a forward area of low pressure from Kansas to the lake region, and the advance of a high pressure area from the North Pacific coast to Colorado.

A fall of twenty degress is reported from Sioux City, Ia. Probably cooler weather will reach the Atlantic States, Sunday afternoon.

SENATOR HARRIS' FUNERAL.

Impressive Services Attended by the President and Many Officials.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, July 10—Impressive funeral services over the late Senator Isham G. Harris occurred in the Senate chamber in the presence of President McKinley and members of the Cabinet, Senators, Representatives, the Diplomatic Corps, Justices of the Supreme Court and officials of all branches of public life.

A RAILROAD PRESIDENT STRICKEN

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—C. F. Crocker, President of the Southern Pacific Railroad, was prostrated with apoplexy at his home in San Mateo.

When billious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c.

SKINS ON FIRE

Skins on fire with torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, and pimply humors, instantly relieved by a warm bath with CUTICURA SOAP, a single application of CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure, and a full dose of CUTICURA RESOLVENT.

Cuticura

Sold throughout the world. POTTER D. & C. CORP., Sole Props., Boston. "How to Cure Torturing Humors." Free.

BABY'S SKIN Scalp and hair purified and Beautified by CUTICURA SOAP.

Merit Talks

"Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses actual and unequalled curative power and therefore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparilla, and take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen the nerves and build up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best, in fact—the One Dollar Blood Purifier. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills Do not purge, pain or gripe. All druggists. 25c.

LOST FOR 1,000 YEARS.

A Great Find of the Highly Prized Thessalian Marble.

The quarries from which the ancients obtained their highly-prized Thessalian or verd marble have been discovered and are again being worked by an English company, says the Philadelphia Record. The quarries, which have been lost for more than 1,000 years, are in the neighborhood of Larissa, in Thessaly, Greece. The ancient workings are very extensive, there being no fewer than ten quarries, each producing a somewhat different description of marble, proving without a doubt that every variety of this marble found in the ruined palaces and churches of Rome and Constantinople and likewise in all the mosques and museums of the world came originally from these quarries. In fact, the very quarry from which the famous monoliths of St. Sophia, Constantinople, were obtained can be identified with absolute certainty by the matrices from which they were extracted.

In modern times verd antico marble has only been obtainable by the destruction of some ancient work, and it has, naturally, commanded extraordinarily high prices. As a consequence, a number of ordinary modern greens of Greek, French, Italian and American origin have been described and sold as verd antique marble. No one, however, who is really acquainted with the distinctive character of the genuine material could be deceived by these inferior marbles. Thessalian green is easily distinguished from any other green marble by the following characteristics: It is a "breccia" of angular fragments of light and dark green, with pure statuary white, the whole being cemented together with a brighter green, while the snow-white patches usually have their edges tinted off with a delicate fibrous green, radiating to the center of the white. The cementing material is also of the same fibrous character.

QUEEN'S JUBILEE PENANCE.

Subjects Who Will Send Her Majesty Their Photographs.

Some weeks ago we protested strongly against the proposal that cards of congratulation should be showered upon the queen from subjects personally unknown to her majesty during the approaching celebration, says the London Times. We pointed out that the fatigues of this period for all members of the court will be quite trying enough without any addition to them in the shape of thousands, possibly millions, of extra letters being delivered at the royal residences and requiring attention. Since then it has been announced that all communications intended for her majesty in connection with the diamond jubilee must be forwarded through the secretary of state, but in spite of this a firm of photographers, showing more enterprise than good sense, revived the unfortunate suggestion mentioned above. They have sent us a specimen of a card they are issuing, bearing the words: "With heartfelt wishes for your most gracious majesty's royal subject," and with a space for the sender's photograph, which, of course, is to be taken by the firm. Perhaps the surest means of dissuading any who might be inclined to make use of so unseasonable a form of felicitating her majesty on an event of which she knows all her subjects are proud is to point out that their cards are not at all likely to get any nearer the queen than the home office in Whitehall.

Old English Manners.

An old English "Manners Book" says: "A lady should dip only the tips of her fingers in the sauce bowl, and should not let food fall out of her mouth on the tablecloth."

CARSON & TOWNER.

Printed French Organdies and Lappets.

Balance of our stock at 25c., reduced from 40c. We are offering some very attractive bargains in Dress Goods.

KIT One lot desirable checks at 31 cts., formerly 45c. One lot at 40c., reduced from 60 cents.

We still have the most desirable styles in Printed Silks at 29, 39, 65 and 75 cents.

CARSON & TOWNER,
No. 11 West Main Street. Telephone 166.

Big Bargains in Ready Made CLOTHING.

In order to reduce our stock, we are making a special reduction in Suits, Overcoats and Extra Pantaloons. Now is a good chance to buy good goods at a very low figure. Our Fancy Outing and Dress Shirts are big sellers. We carry a full stock of Belts. We are offering some special values in Neckwear, all the latest styles.

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

In order to close out our line Suitings and Trouserings, we will make a special price on Suits and Extra Trousers. Hats—Hats—Hats—We have a full line in Straws, Light Derbies and Soft Hats Summer Underwear in all grades at bottom prices.

JOHN E. ADAMS,
Leading Hatter and Clothier, No. 41 North Street.

FAIR TRADE IS NOT DONE

BY

Unfair and Deceptive Methods, Thoughtful Buyers Know This.

—We mention a few items; suitable to the season, and good for the buyer—a fair statement only.

—1,000 yards Organdies, reduced from 10 and 12½c., to clear your choice 6c per yard.

—250 Shirt Waists, separate collars, were 60c., to clear your choice 48c.

—50 dozen Fast Black Seamless Hose 3 pair for 25c.

—The greatest stock of Fine Hosiery ever shown in town. Plain, black, tan, fancy ribbed, real lisle, 15 18, 20, 25c.

—Ladies' and Men's Summer Underwear, 20 kinds, from 5c to 50c.

—Good goods and good value prevail.

H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.,
No. 39 North Street.

Summer Shoes at Prices Lower Than Ever.

"The Hub" Shoe Store,
13 West Main Street.
Next to Carson & Towner's.

A few more of those Children's Tan Shoes at 50 and 60 cents.

Misses' sizes 75c., in button or lace.

Men's Bicycle Shoes at reduced prices.

Special Sale

OF

PARASOLS

AND

Sun Umbrellas.

CORSETS!

If you are looking for them, you can find here all the leading styles, including the "Cycle" Corset, and prices to suit you. Our "Floral" Corset at 50 cts is a beauty. Ventilated at 25c and up.

BELTS, SHIRT WAIST SETS AND TIES,

all styles and prices.

J. D. HORTON, AGT.,
No. 27 West Main Street.

The Great Food Digester.

S. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia Cure is having a very unusual sale, because of its unusual merit. For sale by

F. M. PRONK

HANFORD & HORTON.

A BOOK, A HAMMOCK

and a Bamboo Porch Screen will go far towards making hot weather bearable.

HAMMOCKS — Good, substantial woven ones for ornament, comfort and wear, with pillow and spreader, $1 and upwards. Mexican Grass, large size, 68c and upwards.

PORCH SCREENS — Best grade Bamboo. There are other grades.

NOVELS — Large stock in paper covers only 10 and 25c. The newest books in cloth. The current Magazines and the correct things in Fine Stationery.

Croquet, Tennis and Base Ball Goods.

Hanford & Horton,
No. 6 North St., Middletown.

HARD TIMES.

Yes, we admit that, but just take a peep into our Custom Department. The rush of orders there does not indicate hard times, but then hard times prices and goods and workmanship of the highest order have made things lively for us this summer.

$5 SUITS!

We have another large invoice of them, and remember that these goods are not trashy or old style, but up to date and up in quality 35 and 69c Shirts are going like wild fire. Come quick and get one. Eighmie & Cromwell Shirts. Do you like to wear them? They are certainly the very best made.

A new Straw Hat is now in order. We can fit you out in good shape. Something new in Traveling Bags and Dress Suit Cases. Our Wire Ventilated Bicycle Caps are popular with wheelmen.

GEO. W. YOUNG,
Clothier, Hatter and Merchant Tailor, 16-18 East Main St.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Sugar Loaf Pines for canning, Large Cherry Currants, Blackcaps, Huckleberries, Home-Grown Cauliflower, Cucumbers, Tomatoes Sweet Peas, Wax Beans, Wild Cherry Phosphate, a delicious summer beverage; Orange, Lemon and Claret Lemonade, choice Delaware County Butter by the tub, Fancy Print Butter, Watermelons, Muskmelons, etc.

CITY GROCERS.

Bull & Youngblood,
56 North St., Opp. Postoffice
TELEPHONE CALL 55.

ENDS AND ODDS

At this season we have a number of odds and ends of Suits, Pants, etc. They are of no use to us, and we will exchange them for a small amount of cash.

Men's All Wool Suits $4.50.
Men's Fine Suits $5 and $6.
Men's Pants 49 and 75c.
Boys' Suits, 14 to 19 years, $2.79.
Children's Suits 90c.
Children's Pants 15c.
Children's Wash Suits 39c.

Morris B. Wolf,
10 North Street.

STERN'S

Mid-Summer Sale. At This Time of Year Ladies are Looking for Comfort

How to keep cool—We can help them in the way of Linen Skirts, Crash Skirts and other shades from 69c up in all lengths, and lots of nice Shirt Waists to complete the suit Take a look at our new red dotted Swiss Shirt Waist, a new novelty. We have some new styles in Ladies' Hats for late comers, which can only be seen in our store; also a special novelty in Sailors. All these goods sold at rock-bottom prices. Remember we only handle reliable merchandise, all at our Handsome Store.

L. STERN 13-15 NORTH ST.

C. EMMET CRAWFORD.

The best time to set a hen is when the hen is ready.
—Josh Billings.

The Best Time to Sell Hammocks, Porch Shades and Porch Rockers!

IS NOW. WE ARE READY.

C. Emmet Crawford,

44 AND 46 NORTH STREET.

Oh! You ought to get our prices.

How do we make such delicious Ice Cream Soda Water at 5c a glass? Never mind how—that's our part. Come and see if we don't—that's yours. Everything about our Fountain is prepared with scrupulous care and absolute cleanliness is strictly maintained—we don't have it otherwise. Palatable and True Natural Fruit Flavors, with plenty of Pure Rich Ice Cream, 5 cents a glass. Try Strawberry Syrup, made from new crop berries. Our Chocolate Syrup is unsurpassable Orange Phosphate, the perfection of finest orange flavor. All flavors, with ice cream, 5c a glass.

McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St. and 155 North St. (North Side Pharmacy.)

Farmer's Mowing Machine Oil, best quality, 40c a gallon.
McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St

Reynold's Pure Paris Green 25 cents per pound, 5 pounds for $1
McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St

An Unsolicited Testimonial.

June 26, '97.

HOUSTON BROS.—GENTLEMEN:—I purchased a bag of Mapes' Poultry Feed, last spring, and fed it to our flock of 38 hens. They laid four eggs the day I got it and six the day before. Within ten days from the time we commenced feeding it they were laying 25 eggs a day, making a gain of 500 per cent. in 10 days. Yours truly,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS.

DAILY ARGUS.

SATURDAY, JULY 10, 1897.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Quarantine regulations of Board of Health of city of Middletown.
—Munyon's Asthma Cure. See adv.
—Reduction in price of tan shoes at Chas. D. Hanford's.
—Hot weather comforts at Hanford & Horton's
—Household goods at auction, July 13th.
—Collection of dues, Homestead B. and L.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—*Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local news.*

—Rogan's new bakery wagon is neat and attracts attention.

—The 14th Separate Company, of Kingston, went to the State Camp, to-day.

—The sermon will be dispensed with at Grace Church, to-morrow, if the present heat continues.

—The Universalist lawn social at Mr. Nearing's, next Thursday evening, will be free to all.

—At 1:40, this afternoon, Pronk's thermometer recorded an even 100°, the highest mark reached this year.

—"Lord" Wm. A. Coutant, Jr., has been engaged as assistant city editor of the *Sunday Telegram.—Newburgh Register.*

—Delaware county farmers are pleasantly disappointed with their hay crops. Many fields cut four times as much hay as they did last year.

—The Port Jervis Building and Loan Association is paying off its eighteenth series of stock, which amounts to $12,000. The association is the oldest in the State.

—George Waldorf has sold his pretty sorrel pony to M. Meinhold, the proprietor of the Waldorf hotel at Hurleyville. Some enterprising Middletowner will drive the pony to the latter place, to-night.

—Ninety-one Fresh Air Fund children, all girls, from the Five Points Mission, were taken up the Ulster and Delaware Railroad, Friday, for a two weeks' outing at various points along the line of that road.

—Paterson's police arrested a tramp, Thursday night, and Friday morning they discovered that he had had a stroke of paralysis. The city now has the man on its hands and the authorities wish that the officers had not been so viligant.

—The pin between the engine and tender of the Mountain Express broke when the train was just east of big rock cut, near Port Jervis, this morning. The safety chains kept the engine from running away from the train and the difficulty was soon remedied.

PERSONAL

—Miss Sadie Sliter is visiting in Bay Shore, L. I.

—W. C. Harford has taken a position on the trolley line.

—Clem Atkins went to Deckertown, to-day, to spend Sunday.

—Mrs. H. M. Hayes and son Uzal, left to-day, for Asbury Park.

—Miss Grace Colwell went to Florida, to-day, for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wallick will spend the summer in this vicinity.

—E. J. Barrett, of the Port Jervis *Gazette*, was in town, to-day.

—Ellenville's Fresh Air Guild is entertaining fifteen little girls near that village.

—John Cunningham, clerk at the Commercial, has gone to Liberty to spend Sunday.

—Luther Colwell went to Liberty, to-day, to take a position in Charles Stanton's hotel.

—Rev. John Durham and his brother, James, have returned to this city from a visit at Philadelphia.

—J. E. Campbell is improving the appearance of his South Side Store by the application of a coat of paint.

—Harry Farrell went to Liberty, to-day, to spend a few days with his uncle, W. J. Flynn, at Shady Lawn cottage.

—Reuben Fisher, a popular salesman for G. Lippman a Son's, New York, has been the guests of Charles Wolff's Sons, to-day.

—Miss Etta Dougherty and Miss Mamie Nilan, of this city, have accepted positions at High Point Inn for the summer.

—Miss Louise Durham who has been visiting her parents in this city, has returned to her position in a hospital, at Putnam, Conn.

—The Prudential Insurance Company has paid $118 to John M. Thompson, the amount of insurance on the life of his wife, Mrs. Charlotte Thompson.

—Miss Eleanore Billings Royce went to Newburgh, to-day, where she joined Mrs. Harriet Himes, of Albany, at Mrs. Charles E Townsend's for a week's visit.

—Miss Emma Turner, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Mary Dugan, of Beattie avenue, for the past week, returned home, this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. Gay Lockwood, of Middletown, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lockwood, on North street, this week.—*Walton Reporter.*

—The Hurleyville correspondent of the *Ensign* says: "Frank O'Neill and wife, of Middletown, who have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Orrin Simpson, have returned to their home."

—B. F. Gordon left town, this morning, for Rockaway Beach where he expects to spend some time. He was accompained by "Prof." Jester. Mr. Gordon's many friends will be glad to know that his health is much better than it was.

—Al. Flynn, wife and family, of Middletown, formerly of Sparrowbush, are spending several days here among relatives and friends. Al. is employed in the tannery at Middletown and his family seems to like it there. They reside on Academy avenue.—*Port Jervis Union.*

—Russell Wiggins returned from Stockport, Friday night. His father, H. W. Wiggins, will go on a fortnight's vacation shortly, and Russell will have charge of the law office in his absence.

A SUCCESSFUL LAWN PARTY.

A Snug Sum Realized for the Fresh Air Fund and Convalescent Home.

The lawn party which was given Friday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. M. D. Stivers at Courtland street and Highland avenue, was well attended. The refreshment tables were well patronized and the box for contributions was not neglected. J. R. Lamb played some soul-stirring bag pipe musid, while his son danced some Scottish steps.

The affair terminated at the approach of darkness. The Treasurer, Mrs. W. B. Royce, reports that the gross receipts were $92.

The success of the affair is due mainly to the efforts of Mesdames Thomas Gordon, W. B. Royce, E. T. Hanford, L. S. Stivers, C. H. Sweezy, F. O. Tompkins, George Dorrance, I. C. Jordan, Harry C. McBrair, George Marsden, T. D. Mills, C. C. Luckey and Edward Canfield.

THE DEMEREST MEDAL.

Taken by Mr. Shafer at Bullville, Friday Night.

The Demerest gold medal contest at the Bullville M. E. Church, Friday night, drew a large audience. The pastor, Rev. W. H. Hayes, presided, and the excellent music by the choir added to the evening's entertainment.

The medal was awarded to Mr. Shafer over five other silver medal winners, by the judges, Dr. W. A. Robinson, A. M. Payne and H. B. Woodward, of this city.

TAKE OUT A LICENSE.

Plumbers Must Have the Proper Certificates.

J. C. Degnan, Wilmot Duryea and Joseph Ebner, constituting the Board of Plumbing Examiners of this city, met at police headquarters, this morning, to instruct some of the plumbing firms about town that they must take out licenses. Recorder Barnes summoned several persons and informed them that they must take out the license required by law if they do plumbing work.

OBITUARY.

John R. Hemingway.

John R. Hemingway, an old railroad conductor, died suddenly at his home, in Matteawan, on Friday. He was an only brother of W. A. Hemingway, of the State Hospital. The funeral will occur on Monday.

Col. Thomas Holt.

Col. Thomas Holt, for half a century a resident of Port Jervis, died yesterday at Waterbury, Conn. He raised the first company that went to the war from Port Jervis, and became Colonel of the 70th N. Y. V., and was breveted Brigadier General for gallantry.

Middletown Wheelmen at Port Jervis, To-day.

A number of Middletown wheelmen are at Port Jervis, to-day. The bicycle races opened at 2 o'clock and the following entries were received from this city:

Half-mile handicap—Weeks, scratch; Sharp, Smith, Cummings, five yards.
Slow race—Sharp.
Quarter-mile—Sharp, scratch.
Mile handicap—Weeks, scratch; Sharp, 10 yards; Cummings, Smith, 15 yards.

No Reunion of the Tenth Legion, This Year.

The Tenth Legion, 56th N. Y. V., which was to have held a reunion at Fishkill Landing, August 24th, has postponed the gathering for a year, because the national encampment of the G. A. R., which many members of the regiment desire to attend, comes on the same date.

Lancelot Lodge Will Have an Excursion.

The heat of Friday night prevented Lancelot Lodge from working the degrees on two candidates. The lodge is to have an excursion to some clam bake grounds in the near future, but no date has been set.

Will Take Charge of His Father's Remains.

The authorities of Thrall Hospital have received notice from E. J. Miller, of Pittsburgh, that Edward Miller, who died in Thrall Hospital, is his father, and that he will come on to take charge of the body.

Masons Attend George W. Sayer's Funeral.

The funeral of George W. Sayer was held at Warwick, to-day. Hoffman Lodge sent a deleghtion, which included W. M. Ira L. Case, P. M. J. A. Wallace, W. H. Knapp and E. M. Scott.

Heavy Travel on the Trains To-day.

The Erie and O. and W. trains have all had extra cars on to-day, and they have been packed almost to suffocation. Probably 3,000 people will reach Sullivan county resorts to-day and to-night.

An Immense Blacksnake.

Section men on the Wallkill Valley railroad killed an immense blacksnake nearly eight feet in length on the flats between New Paltz and Rosendale, Friday morning.

The Lunch Wagon Leaves the Street.

"Jakie" Newmark's lunch wagon left the highways of the city at 4 o'clock this morning. It will open up on the Elberton lot, to-night.

RED MEN MEET.

Large Representation at the Convention Held Here Friday Night.

The gathering of Red Men at Umpqua Tribe's tent, Friday night, was the largest ever held in this city. Twenty tribes, representing the Hudson Valley Association, were represented, there being six tribes from Sullivan county, five from Rockland county, one from Ulster county, one from Greene county and seven from Orange county.

The officers of the organization present were:

President—John Orr.
Vice Presidents—Thomas Good, L. B. Myers, Clark Lynes, George Hubbell, E. Van Vliet and A. M. Scriber.
Secretary—J. D. Rippert.
Treasurer—E. Palmer.
Trustees—W. F. Angles, T. D. Smith and E. A. Wiest.

The Sergeant-at-Arms on this occasion was Warner Hook.

Great Sachem W. H. Higbie was present and gave the braves a long and instructive address.

During the business meeting several important changes in the by-laws were made.

The place of the next meeting was competed for by Ellenville, Harverstraw and Warwick and the former was selected.

Representative Morris Kane, of the Westchester county association, was present as were the following delegates:

Tuxedo, No. 322, of Warwick—F. W. Odell, B. Myers.
Umpqua, No. 331, of Middletown—C. S. Truex, J. S. Speigel.
Wawa, No. 235, of Central Valley—W. S. Sutherland, D. P. Ackerman.
Athabaica, No. 251, of Catskill—E. Tallman, V. Person, Clark Lynes.
Kakiat, No. 267, of Congers—A. E. Harding, C. W. Wyant.
Paughcaughnaughsinque, No. 77, of Middletown—E. G. Arkills, B. S. Dayton.
Kollikoon, No. 93, of Jeffersonville—W. R. Miller, S. Cheridell.
Woreneck, No. 103, of Cornwall—H. Riley, J. Walott, John Orr.
Apacha, No. 129, of Long Eddy—H. W. McKoon.
Cahoonshee, No. 132, of Sparrowbush—E. A. Wiest, C. E. Gilson.
Barnapoo, No. 189, of Suffern—I. D. Smith, Wm. Finch, Benj. Ackers.
Napanoch, No. 204, of Ellenville—C. B. Frear, C. Graham, J. D. Riffer.
Esopus, No. 208, of Roscoe—Joseph Sherwood, James Pride.
Nyack, No. 209, of Nyack—A. A. Palmer, H. J. Demerest, Geo. Hubbell.
Minnisceongo, No. 213, of Haverstraw—W. H. Jenkins, C. N. Bacon, F. V. Gardner.
Cheyenne, No. 223, of Stony Point—Samuel A. Hayt, Lewis Bower, S. Burris.

FINE CATCH OF BASS.

Thirty-four Beautiful Specimens Caught Early This Morning.

Louis Roth, John Wilkin and A. E. Nickinson, crack fishermen, captured thirty-four fine bass in the new reservoir, between the hours of 4 and 9 this morning. The largest weighed two and one-half pounds, the next two pounds, and the third a pound and three-quarters, while the remainder averaged three-quarters of a pound.

The Newburgh and Walden Electric Roads Consolidated.

An agreement merging into one road, to be known as the Newburgh Electric Railway, the Newburgh and the Walden and Orange Lake Electric Railways, has been filed with the Secretary of State.

There are nine directors of the newly formed company, namely: Benjamin Norton, of New York; Silas B. Dutcher, William H. Pouch, Alden S. Swan, Wm. M. Tobias, Stewart Whitehouse, of Brooklyn, and Charles N. Finch, of Summit. The officers are:

President—Bejamin Norton.
Vice President—Silas B. Dutcher.
Secretary and Treasurer—William H. Pouch.

Thrown From His Wheel.

Frank D. Kernochan was speeding along Montgomery street, Thursday night, when he suddenly struck a stone hidden in the dust. His front wheel turned around and threw him off. He struck heavily on his left hip. He limped home, and was confined to his home all day Friday.

Fire Police Badges Ready for Distribution.

Chief Higham received the fire police badges, to-day, and the owners can secure them from Capt. McIntyre. They are of neat design, being of nickel, except that of the captain, which is gold plated.

Extending the Water Mains.

The Water Board forces are putting water through Chestnut street, having completed the Liberty street work.

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Visiting His Aunt—Cleaning the Rio Grande—Date Fixed for Fire Parade—Mr. Lowerre's Serious Illness.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Moses Harris, of New York city, is spending a part of his vacation at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. P. Samuels.

—The Rio Grande within the corporation limits is being cleaned by the Health Board.

—Thursday, Oct. 7th, is the date settled upon by the Fire Department engineers for the tail parade.

—C. A. Lowerre, who was taken seriously and suddenly ill, Wednesday, suffered another bad attack, yesterday, losing consciousness. Two physicians finally restored him. Although the nature of the complaint causing his illness is not definitely known, his condition is yet considered precarious.

THE COLLINS FARM HOSPITAL.

Civil Service Commission Refuses to Certify Dr. Arthur's Appointment to the Comptroller.

The fact came out at Albany, yesterday, that the State Civil Service Commission had refused to certify to the State Comptroller the appointment of Dr. Arthur as Superintendent of the Collins Farm Homœpathic Hospital to succeed Dr. Allen, removed by the Board of Managers.

A judicial decision as to the legality of Dr. Allen's removal seems to be the only way to end the tangle. Dr. Allen seems, however, in no hurry to begin proceedings against the Managers, but they can probably take the matter into court by a proceeding to compel the Comptroller to recognize the appointment of Dr. Arthur as Superintendent.

Robbed in Broad Daylight in Newburgh's Streets.

John L. Smith, a stranger, bought a ticket for Albany at the West Shore station in Newburgh, yesterday, and then went up the steps to South Water street, where he was held up by a Newburgher, who took a $2 bill from his pockets. Smith grappled with the robber and they fought for several minutes, but the thief got away before officers arrived.

The Wheelman Was Responsible.

Judge Barnard in a Poughkeepsie case has decided that a wheelman, who ran into a horse driven by a woman, while racing on a road, is responsible for damages, it having been shown that the woman was not negligent and the wheelman was. The fact is that wheelmen have no more right to race on a road than men driving horses.

A Hot Weather Explanation.

The effect of the intense heat in expanding the rails and thus moving Goshen further away was the explanation of a slight delay in the arrival of a Goshen car given by a romancer to a fidgetty would-be passenger at Franklin Square to-day.

Visiting Chiefs in Town.

Chief Jenkins, of the Haverstraw Fire Department, and Assistant Chief Glynn, of the Newburgh Fire Department, were callers at Chief Higham's Commercial House, Friday night.

Hardware Stores to Close at 6 O'clock.

The hardware stores have joined the early closing movement, and beginning Tuesday will close at 6 o'clock, except on Monday and Saturday evenings.

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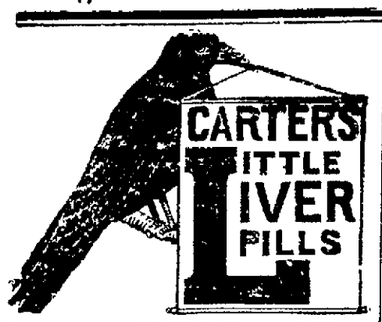

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LOVE'S SHELTERING WAY.

BY MATTY C. NASH.

MARY WINSLOW hurried a little as she climbed into the ten-thirty accommodation train from New Rochelle to New York. The accommodation trains were always crowded; and she wanted very much to get a seat on the side of the car from which she could catch a glimpse of her house, where her babies were. She had almost missed the train lingering over good-by kisses and baby love-making.

She was doing a very bold thing. For the first time in the four years of her married life, she was undertaking something without consulting her husband about it. But it was for his sake—to save him from terrible anxiety, and to do that she would dare anything.

The tears stood in her eyes at the thought of his shoulders, already stooped under their burden of care, and his face so crossed with lines that told as plainly as did the scantily covered crown from which the curly, boyish crop of brown hair had slipped how hard had been, and was, his fight up the stream of fortune.

And his shabby coat and frayed linen! David rarely got any new clothes, and when he did he went to a cheap tailor who did not fit him very well. He was a little man. Mary used to think if he had been a few inches taller he would have cared more for dress. But she was wrong about that. David was very modest and not wonderfully clever; but he knew it would save to be a coat as beautiful as Joseph's to make him more respected at his office or more loved at home. All beyond those two places was nothing to him.

But Mary loved him. She more than loved him. She put him on a pedestal and crowned him with glory and honor. She broke the alabaster box of her whole being's adoration at his feet; and she would have died for him gladly.

Mary was a large, fair woman, who, richly and fashionably dressed, would have looked like a duchess. As it was, in her simple, home-made gowns and modest bonnet, she only looked like a very beautiful mother, which is more than some duchesses do.

A conventional looking young curate and a handsome, large-featured man of 50, with a deep mourning band on his hat, sat in the seat directly in front of Mary. The elder man had his little daughter, dressed in mourning, on his knee, and he and the curate laughed and chatted with the little girl to amuse her.

"There is a newly made widower," thought Mary; "and he doesn't seem to mind much. I wonder if David would (she had almost said "will") care so little."

Suddenly the older man turned to the curate, and Mary saw his face drawn in an agony of grief.

"Did you ever bury anyone you loved desperately?" he asked.

The curate answered with appropriate courtesy: "No, I have been very fortunate. I have always thought, however, that the only wise way to face such a grief would be philosophically, knowing it was God's will that it should come to all."

"You have never buried anyone you loved desperately. When you come to do that you will not be thinking of philosophy," said the other.

And then they spoke of other things.

Mary pulled down her vail to hide her wet cheeks.

"Poor David! He will mind; he will not forget right away," she thought.

A half-hour later, Mary stood in a clean, bare little room high up on the top floor of a quiet boarding-house on a side street. A young doctor with wide-awake, intelligent face was talking to her.

"Yes, Mrs. Robinson," he said, gravely, "the operation is imperative; it is the only way to save your life. If it succeeds, you will become a perfectly strong woman; if it fails, you'll be spared the pain of a lingering death, for you'll not survive the operation more than a half hour at the most. I put the case plainly to you. You must know all the circumstances, all the risks, that you may decide wisely."

"I have decided," she answered, steadily.

"Very well. I will have the nurses here in a little while, and the other doctors will meet me here at a quarter before two. I have spoken to them about it. I was only waiting for a final word from you to complete all the arrangements."

He bade Mary "Good morning," and left her alone.

Mary was naturally rather a coward, specially about little things. Spiders, worms and snakes, even very small ones, made her almost faint; and she was afraid to travel alone, or to sleep in a room by herself. But her pulse was very steady now. It seemed to her to say: "David, David, David," as it beat.

She walked over to the window and looked down at the people coming and going in the street. It seemed to her that she had entirely lost her personality. She had really become this Mrs. Robinson she had told the doctor and the boarding-house keeper she was. She was of vital importance to nobody about her. To the doctor and nurses she was a "case," and there were many "cases" like her in the city. The hospitals were full of people who were going to die soon, were dying even now. As she thought of it the black pall of death seemed to settle over her and all she saw, and smother her.

"My husband—my husband!" she gasped; "can I bear it without you?"

Presently she sat down at a little table, and wrote a letter to him. She put his full address with careful clearness on the envelope. Then she wrote a note to the doctor, inclosing her husband's letter in it.

She had never thought of dying alone in the fleeting thoughts she had had of death. David had always been there to hold her hand. But now she was liable even likely, to die alone. Poor Mary! "Alone" meant to her "without David."

"Mrs. Robinson," said Dr. Ellis, when the assistant surgeons and nurses had come, "I feel it due to myself to ask that you repeat before these gentlemen what you said in regard to your understanding of the risk you run in undergoing this operation."

"I know that I may die, but I wish to undergo the operation."

She spoke slowly, with quiet dignity.

"There is no one whom you wish to see, no one who should be consulted?"

"No one."

She drew from under her pillow the letter she had written, and handed it to Dr. Ellis. "When the issue of the operation is quite clear, I wish you to open and read this," she said.

She lay quietly while they put the ether mask over her white face, not struggling against it as some people do. Only once she sat up suddenly and looked about her with wide open eyes, stretching out her arms and saying:

"Oh, if you will only let me lie in my husband's arms I will bear anything!" And then she lost consciousness.

It was half-past three when a breathless messenger, rushing into Mr. Winslow's down-town office, handed him a note from Dr. Ellis:

"Dear Sir: Your wife has just undergone an operation. I have every reason to hope it will be a successful one. The inclosed note from Mrs. Winslow will explain to you why I have but now made you aware of what has been done. Very sincerely yours, J. HOWE ELLIS."

The other note read thus:

"Dear Dr. Ellis: I have not told you my real name, for I did not wish my husband to have the pain and anxiety of anticipating this operation nor the suffering of seeing me suffer it; and I thought that if you knew I had a husband you would be likely to object to taking so much responsibility without having him to share it. If all goes well you need only send him the inclosed note. If I should die—tell him gently. MARY WINSLOW."

"My Darling Husband: You have been so good, so tender, so true to me, and you have made me so happy always, that I have wanted some way to show you how grateful I am. There has never been any way before, but now there is a way. Thank the dear Father you have taught me to love and have helped me to try to serve, I have been strong enough to save you a great deal of pain.

"When you get this, my love, my heart's dear, dear love, I shall be quite through with a very bad operation, which has been hanging over me for months. I knew I must undergo it or die, and yet it was so sweet at home I could not come in here before; but the doctor said I could not wait any longer, so I came in to-day.

"Jane is a good nurse, she will take care of the children while I am away. Aren't they beautiful?

"God bless you, my husband, my love.

"MARY."

The three doctors stood wiping their gleaming instruments, talking in half-whispers of the operation. A white-capped nurse was unpinning the sheets and padding from the operating table.

At the side of the bed where Mary lay, another doctor and another white-capped nurse stood watching for the first signs of her returning consciousness. She lay heavily and with muscles relaxed, with closed eyes, breathing laboriously, and white as the linen on her bed.

David pushed open the door with unsteady hand, and came across the room to the bed. Without a word he dropped on his knees in a grief-stricken heap at the bedside.

Dr. Ellis put his hand on his shoulder, and he looked up, with anguish-laden eyes, that pitifully pleaded for a word of hope.

"She will do well," said the doctor, in a cheery whisper. "The operation was a success far beyond our expectations. But it is important for her to come out of the ether quietly. Don't you think, Mr. Winslow, it would be a good plan for you to stand here at the foot of the bed, where she can see you when she first opens her eyes? Then she will forget entirely all the pain of her separation from you, and everything will be quite nice and comfortable."

David rose, dumbly obedient, and stood where the doctor directed, devouring with his eyes the pale, beautiful face lying amid the thick brown braids.

"Now, Mrs. Winslow, is the pillow right?" asked Dr. Ellis, trying to rouse her. "Won't you let me try to raise you up a little?"

It seemed hours to David before Mary, with a deep sigh, lifted her heavy white lids. A moment her half-conscious eyes rested on the doctor, who was speaking to her, and then she looked at David. She tried to make the nerveless lips move—failed once, and then slowly, painfully, she said: "Darling, I love you!"

"She's all right now," said Dr. Ellis, in a tone of relief.

In a few moments all the doctors had gone, leaving David and a nurse to watch Mary.

"She's doing splendidly now, sir," said the nurse, moved by the trouble in David's face to speak to him. "There is not a bit more danger."

But David did not believe that. The shadow of the terrible possibility of his wife's dying had fallen across his heart, and it would take more than words to lift it.

As the doctors went down the steps of the boarding house one said:

"And yet we are taught that women are not brave."

"Oh, yes, they are brave, or the world would soon be depopulated," said the newly-fledged doctor who had administered the ether. "But—er—Dr. Ellis, now what do you think of that scheme of mine for removing the vermiform appendix in infants, and doing away forever with chances of appendicitis?"

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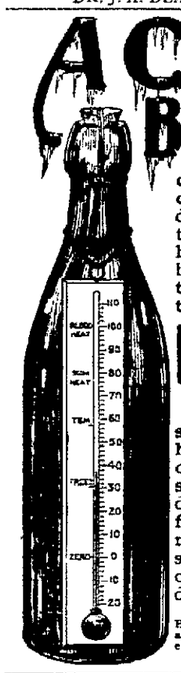

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Dated Feb. 1st, 1897.

JOHN YOUNG, Administrator.
T. S. HULSE, Attorney for Adm. wTuSmAu3

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Dated April 14th, 1897.

WILLIAM P. MOORE, }Administrators.
CLARA M. FISHER, }
DILL & COX, Attys for Adms. dThSmOct1

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Isaac Wilcox, late of the town of Minisink, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the town of Minisink, on or before the 5th day of September next.

Dated March 1st, 1897.

HENRY TUTHILL, Executor.
T. S. HULSE, Attorney for Executor. wTuAu31

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MARY J. JENKS, Administratrix.

Dated Feb. 9th, 1897. wFr6mAu13

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the County of Orange. Notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Jane Winfield, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his place of residence in the city of Middletown, on or before the 25th day of October next.

Dated, April 14, 1897.

ROBERT H. DOLSON, executor.
DILL & COX, attorneys for executor. w6mOct2

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Dated May 25th, 1897

CLARENCE G. CLARK and VIVEN H. CLARK, administrators.

W. F. O'NEILL, attorney for administrators, Middletown, N. Y. dTu.Nov23

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March 8, 1897. Samuel Pitcher, M.D.

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AT a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, held at the Supreme Chambers, in the city of Newburgh, Orange county, N. Y., on the 3d day of April, 1897.

Present: Hon. Michael H Hirschberg, Justice.

In the matter of the application for a voluntary dissolution of The Middletown Casino Theatre Company, of Middletown, N. Y

On reading and filing the petition of Edward A. Brown, William D. Stratton, Horace W. Corey and Isaac F VanDuzer, as the Trustees and Directors of the Middletown Casino Theatre Company of Middletown, N. Y. (a corporation duly created under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office in the city of Middletown, N. Y.), and the schedule thereto annexed, duly verified by the said petitioners on the 1st day of March, 1897, and now on motion of Daniel Finn, of counsel for the petitioners,

It is ordered that all persons interested in the said corporation show cause before this Court, before William F O'Neill, Esq., who is hereby appointed Referee for that purpose, at his office, No 75 North street in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N Y., on the 13th day of July, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why said corporation should not be dissolved, and why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that the said Referee proceed in accordance with the law and practice of this Court, and that he report thereon with all convenient speed.

And it is further ordered that this order be published once in each week for the three weeks immediately preceding the time herein fixed to show cause in the Middletown Daily Argus, newspapers published in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., where the principal office of the said corporation is located, and also in the Albany Argus a newspaper published in the city of Albany, New York.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon each of the persons specified in the schedule annexed to the said petition as a creditor or stockholder of said corporation, or as a person to whom an engagement of said corporation is to be performed, other than those persons therein specified, whose residence is stated to be unknown, or to be without the United States; such service to be made either personally at least twenty days before the time appointed for the hearing as above set forth, or by depositing a copy of this order at least forty days before the time so appointed in the postoffice at Middletown, N. Y., enclosed in post-paid wrapper, addressed to the person to be served, at his residence, as stated in said schedule.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of William N. White, late of the town of Wallkill, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the said town of Wallkill, on or before the 16th day of September next.

Dated March 9th, 1897.

H. DENTON WHITE, Admr.
HENRY W. WIGGINS, Counsellor at Law
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"I am convinced," said the broad-minded man, "that a United States senator's salary is, comparatively speaking, a beggerly pittance."

"Oh, I don't know," replied Senator Sorghum. "It depends on how he handles it. A year's salary isn't much if he attempts to live on it. But it makes a very respectable margin in a sugar deal."—Washington Star.

How It Strikes a Boy.

Said little Johnny Green,
This is the funniest world I ever seen;
A fellow is sent off to bed
When he ain't got a bit of sleep in his head.
And he's hustled out of it, don't you see,
When he's just as sleepy as he can be!
—Boston Transcript.

A CLEVER SUGGESTION.

"Oh, I know what we'll do. Let's race round the fountain three times, and the one who wins gets the apple."—N. Y. Herald.

Defeat Itself.

The golden rule could never be
Enforced by law, because
There'd be nobody, don't you see,
Appealing to the laws.
—Chicago Journal.

In a Complacent Mood.

"This is a splendid chance for you to tackle papa, George."

"How so?"

"He's just home from a fishing trip, and if he can get you to listen to his stories, he'll give you anything you ask for."

"I'll do it for your sake, dearest."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Why He Does It.

"I tell you, sir, we're slaves to our landlords."

"Yes?"

"Yes, indeed. It's an outrage that we should have to pay rent."

"It's a good deal of bother at times."

"Then why do you do it?"

"I'm too lazy to move."—Chicago Post.

Before and After.

The cheerful alacrity with which a young man will guide his girl towards a milliner's shop window before they are married is equaled only by the marvelous skill with which he will steer her away from one after she becomes his wife.—Tit-Bits.

It Softened the Blow.

"The Jimson girls felt awfully when their father married again, didn't they?"

"Yes, they did until they found their new mother was just their size. Now they borrow her clothes."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Merely a Conjecture.

"Wasn't it a surprise when young Rocksworth married the eldest of those Berry girls?"

"O, I don't know. He had his pick of them, and I suppose he thought he ought to take the ripest Berry."—Chicago Tribune.

Bad Management.

"That young Dr. Gibbs hasn't a particle of sense."

"Has he been giving the wrong medicines?"

"No; but he cured a wealthy young woman of fever in two days."—Chicago Record.

Too Decollete.

Spats—How did Miss Van Dough look in her new $5,000 evening gown at the ball last night?"

Socratoots—Like a bad photograph.

Spats—What do you mean?

Socratoots—She was over-exposed.—Pittsburgh News

Fickle.

Clara—You know Mr. Smackerton, the fellow that was engaged to Miss Trapper? That fellow never could be depended upon.

Maud—What has he done now?

Clara—Married her.—Detroit Free Press.

An Illustration.

Smith—Mean cuss, isn't he?

Robinson—Mean? He's capable of going into a barber shop for a shave and then getting his hair cut just to keep other people waiting.—Philadelphia Press.

Unsatisfactory Diet.

He—My heart beats for thee, dear.

She—That's all right, my boy; but even were I a vegetarian, I could not live on that kind of beats.—Yonkers Statesman.

His Best Wishes.

"I had a letter from Clara, who is in London, in which she said she was to be presented at court."

"I hope the poor girl will be acquitted."—Demorest's Magazine.

A Lack of Guns.

Lumpkin—Some of those Cuban amazons are regular Venuses.

Bumpkin—You don't say so?

Lumpkin—Yes; they have no arms.—Town Topics.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

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15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North St. and Wiener Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street and Wallkill avenue.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital Gate.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
215—Rear of State Hospital
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
38—Fairview avenue and South street.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
43—East Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenue.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenues.
49—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
54—North street, near Orchard.
57—Franklin Square.
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J. J. Chambers, 57 North street, is now giving free to all a trial package of the great herbal remedy, Bacon's Celery King. If ladies suffering from nervous disorders and constipation will use this remedy they will soon be free from the headaches and backaches that have caused them so much suffering. It is a perfect regulator. It quickly cures biliousness, indigestion, eruptions of the skin and all blood diseases. Large sizes 25 and 50 cents.

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NEW YORK, ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

Time Table in Effect June 27th, 1897. NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	Mile	11 *	1 On't Day Exp	3 Mn Exp	17 Half Hdy Sat Only	7 Vestibuled Limited	15 Utica Co Exp	5 * Chicago Limt
N. Y. Leave		A	M A	M A	N P	M P	M P	N P M
Franklin St	3	2	7 49	9 01	1 30	3 00	4 1	5 45
W. 42d St	3	3	7 55	9 5	1 35	3 05	4 15	6 15
Weehawken	4	0	8 10	9 3	2 10	3 40	4 52	6 43
Cornwall	6	10	9 45	10 57	3 48	5 00	6 5	7 50
Montana	15	22	19	53	....	....	6 15	....
Orr's Mills	16	23	55	.	....	....	16	....
Little Britain	6	40	10 5		....		8	
Burnside	6	56	10 0				56	
Campbell H	7	07	10 22	11 37	4 24	5 31	6 45	8 10
Stony Ford	7	15	1102	.	....	..	6 54	
Mtown { ar								
Main St. { lv	7	38	19	43	11 53		7 08	
Mtown { ar	7	40	11	45	4 45	5 50	7 10	9 35
Mtown { lv	8	45	1 57	21	5 55	6 05	7 20	9 45
Winterton	9	10	11	49	237		7	
Bloomingdale	9	21	11	15	252	5 35	6 24	7 11
Wurtsboro	9	26	11	19	256	5 20	6 28	7 45
Summitville	9	35	11	30	12 15	5 30	6 36	1
Ellenville	10	05	11	50	1 05	5 50	6 55	8 15
Fallsburgh	10	32	2	05	1 20	6 16	7 09	P M
Hurleyville	10	53	12	12	1 36	6 35	7 12	
Ferndale	11	15	12	22	1 46	6 35	7 22	
Liberty	11	30	12	48	1 45	37	7 30	9 50
Parksville	11	45	12	4	P M	6 49	7 41	
Livingston Mnr	12	00	12	52	..	7 02	7 54	10 13
Rockland	12	15	1	05	.....	7 15	8 05	1 8
Cadosia	1	30	2	00	....	P M	27	M 10 9
Walton	2	10	2	45	...	....	12 45	8 0 11 33
Maywood	....		3	14	....	....	2 10	8 36
Sidney	....		3	41	4 1	....	3 10	9 02 2 15
N'rwich { ar	....		4	30	A M	....	5 30	9 57 2 55
N'rwich { lv	....		4	35	7 30	....	P M	10 02 1 03
Castle	....		6	05	9 10	....	....	A M 2 12
Oneida { ar	....		6	10	9 15	....	....	2 17
Oneida { lv	....		6	15	9 25	....	....	ins 9
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Oswego ar	....		8	20	11 25	....	....	3 50
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SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * New York Exp	12 Local	50	14 Delhi Ex	2 Day Exp	42 Norwich	18 E Sunday Spec
	A M P	M A	M	.	A M P	M P	M P M
Oswego lv	11 20	....	7 22	....	6 45	2	
Oneida { ar		12	52	....	8 40	5 10	....
Oneida { lv	12 56	....	1 0	....	8 5	5 21	....
Castle		....	1 15	P M	8 53	5 37	....
Norwich { ar	2 09	....	6 15	6 43	10 37	7 15	..
Norwich { lv	2 14	....	P M	6 47	10 42	P M	
Sidney	3 03	....	....	7 50	11 40	....	..
Maywood		....	....	8 02	1 57	....	
Walton	3 50	12 15	A M	8 40	1 37	..	P M
(Cadosia	4 22	1 20	8	4	2 10	....	P M
Rockland		2 35	6 15	Mtn	2 10	...	5 30
Livingston Mnr	5 07	3 00	6 20	Exp	2 25	...	5 45
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Liberty	5 2	3 25	6 55	2 10	2 51	16	6 15
Ferndale	....	3 41	6 59	2 34	n2 50	Ch	6 20
Hurleyville	....	4 01	7 09	2 44	3 05	ter	6 31
Fallsburgh	....	4 19	7 16	2 52	3 11	Co.	6 37
Centreville	....	4 40	7 23	3 00	n3 20	Exp	6 43
Mountain D.	....	4 50	7 29	3 06	n3 25	A M	6 48
Summitville	....	5 10	7 46	3 24	3 45	6	7 10
Wurtsboro	....	5 20	7 52		n3 52	6	7 17
Bloomingdale	....	5 25	7 56	3 35	3 57	6	7 21
Winterton	....	5 34	....	....	n4 02	6	7 25
M'town { ar	6 33	5 55	8 15	3 55	4 21	6	7 45
M'town { lv	6 42	6 20	8 25	4 15	4 30	7	7 55
M'town Main St.	....	6 22	....	....	4 32	7	8 01
Stony Ford	....	6 39	....	....	4 49	7	8 12
Campbell H.	....	7 5	8 42	4 24	4 52	7	8 9
Burnside	....	7 22	....	....	5 07	7	8 29
Little Britain	....	7 35	....	....	5 20	7	8 41
Orr's Mills	....	7 46	....	....	5 31	7	8 54
Montana	....	8 10	....	....	5 50	7	9 16
Cornwall	7 22	8 20	9 08	4 5	5 25	7	9 33
Weehawken	8 45	11 00	11 30	6 20	7 00	9	10 20
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W. 42d St., {	9 00	11 15	11 40	6 30	7 10	9	10 30
N. Y. {							
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	P M	P M	A M	P M	P M	A M	P M P M

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

‡ Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers

a Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

* Stop for meals.

Trains leave Delhi 6 0 a m and 2 05 p m for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations

Trains leave Scranton 0 55 a. m. and 4 15 p m for Delhi.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 40 and 1 30 a m, 1 4, 3 50 6 36 and 7 5 p m

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6 00 7 30 and 10 50 a. m., 12 1, 3 10 a nd 5 5 p m

Leave Summitville for Ellenville 3 30 p m, Saturday only 7 5 p m Sunday only

Leave Ellenville for Summitville 1 45 p m, Saturday only 6 45 p m Sunday only

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 40 and 11 00 a m, 3 3 a nd 5 0 p m Sunday only 9 15 a m, and 2 15 p m

Trains leave Sidney for New Berlin 10 00 a m, *2 4 and 7 5 p m Leave New Berlin for Sidney 7 40 and *10 02 a. m, a nd 2 0 p m

For further particulars see local card

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N. Y., S. & W. R. R.

In effect June 7th, 97

New York Ferries	Daily a m	Daily ex Sun p m	Sat Only p m	p m	p m
	NORTH.				
West 23d St	S 25		3 55	4 55	5 12
Cortlandt and Dey					
crosses street	S 30		4 10	5 00	5 10
Jersey City	S 46		4 27	5 15	5 27
Hackensack	9 14		4 50	5 40	5 51
Paterson (Broadway)	9 29		5 02	5 56	6 07
Paterson	S 30		5 04		
Two Bridges	10 55	2 50	6 40	6 75	8 20
Cuddebackville	11 07	3 05	6 40	7 08	8 20
Franklin	11 12	3 15	6 46	7 13	8 25
Hamburg	11 20	3 25	6 54	7 24	8 40
Decker Town	11 28	3 40	7 05	7 36	8 55
Quarryville	11 36	3 52	7 16		9 07
Unionville	11 44	4 02	7 18		9 12
Westtown	11 49	4 15	7 24		9 17
Johnson	11 55	4 25	7 29		9 24
State Hill	12 00	4 35	7 34		9 30
Middletown	12 12	4 50	7 45		9 45
	SOUTH				
	Daily except Sunday			Sunday	Daily
	a m	a m	a m	p m	p m
Middletown		6 30	7 12		1 05
State Hill		6 42	7 25		1 17
Johnson		6 48	7 31		1 23
Westtown		6 53	7 41		1 27
Unionville		7 00	7 51		1 34
Deckertown	6 48	7 14	8 0		1 51
Hamburg	6 47	7 22	8 45		6 00
Franklin Junction		7 27	8 51		
Franklin	6 53	7 29	8 56		6 07
Cuddebackville	6 58	7 34	9 06		6 12
Two Bridges	7 10	7 51	9 27		6 28
Paterson (Br'dway)	S 15	9 07	10 26		7 48
Hackensack	S 26	9 16	10 37		8 01
Jersey City	S 48	9 38	11 12		8 27
New York Ferries—					
Cortlandt and Dey crosses street	9 03	9 53	11 23		8 18
West 23d street	9 10	10 10	11 40		8 46

‡—Stop on signal *—Will not run on Saturday. 4—Saturdays to Sept 11th The Deckertown Express leaves New York 4 55 p m, daily, except Saturdays, arriving at Deckertown at 7 45 Returning leaves Deckertown 6 38 a. m., reaching New York at 9 03, West 23d St 9 10

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Samuel L. Everett, late of the town of Mount Hope, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscriber, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at his place of residence in the town of Goshen, in the said county of Orange, on or before the 25th day of September next.

Dated March 22nd, 1897.

LEWIS H. EVERETT, Administrator.
GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Administrator, Middletown, N. Y.
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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 27, '97.

S. Spec'l 617	S. Spec'l 625	3	7	29	25	15	27	5	33	11	9	1	21	17	Eastern Time.	12	10	26	16	28	38	6	4	30	2	8	22	11	606	Spec'l	620	Spec'l	628	Sun 18
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															CHICAGO																			

*Daily. Sundays only. ‡Except Sunday. b. Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond c—Stops for passengers for Hornellsville and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11 10 a. m and 6:55 p. m. daily

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7 27 a. m., daily except Sunday; 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:28 p. m., daily except Sunday

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily; 6:35 p. m. daily except Sunday. Leave Goshen for Deckertown 8:00 a. m. and 6:35 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Newburgh, via Turners—Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., daily, except Sunday; 10:53 a. m., daily; 9:00 p. m., daily; 9:45 p. m., Sunday only. Train 30 and 2 connects for Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:45 a. m., daily except Sunday; 11:10 a. m., daily; 1.28 and 6:19 p. m. daily, except Sunday; 5:37 p. m., Sun. only.

Trains Nos. 6, 11, 15, 16, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 33 and Sunday Specials 601, 617, 625 stop at Main street, Middletown.

A Handsome Complexion

is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

THE "FIGHT" PICTURES.

Fitzsimmons Licked Corbett on the Wright Lot, Friday Night.

A paste slinger came to this city a fortnight ago and pasted up bills around town announcing that the famous projectoscope pictures of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight would be shown here July 9. Nothing more was heard of the show until three ratty-looking cars rolled into the Erie depot, Friday morning. A dozen worn out circus hands carted the tent and appurtenances to the Wright lot on North street where a fair-sized blue tent was erected. During the morning a brass band was driven around town, playing an old familiar melody, and two boys led a pair of white horses behind for some reason or another. Behind them came a dilapidated-looking closed wagon which might have contained Corbett and Fitz.

No show was given in the afternoon on account of the extreme heat. The tent would have been closed tightly to darken it, and the few people who sought to attend would have been suffocated.

At night, however, about three or four hundred people entered the canvas and the pictures were given. Those who were there differ in their opinion of the worth of the show to-day. All agree that the production was injured by the constant shaking of the pictures.

Several have pronounced it a fake to an Argus reporter, but our own prize fight editor states that it was a perfect show. "It was very realistic, indeed, and that smile of Fitzsimmons in the last round was worth $2 of any man's money."

FOR THE MISSION CAUSE.

Missionary Meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the First Congregational Church.

A very interesting missionary meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the First Congregational Church was held at the home of Mrs. W. C. McNish, on East Main street, Friday afternoon. Mrs. D. W. Schoonmaker presided. The topic was "The Work in the South."

Mrs. J. C. Schwartz read a short story of the mountaineers and followed with a plea for this people.

"A Study in Color," an excellent paper, was read by Miss Jennie Everson.

Mrs. E. A. Tice gave a description of the "mountain whites."

"A Message from the Mountain," by Mrs. Schoonmaker, told of the woeful state of these highlanders and their need of help.

Mrs. Wm. A. Robinson read a very interesting letter from La Follette, Tenn., written by K. C. LaGrange, who is a teacher in a mission school there. A letter read by Mrs. J. E. Campbell from S. G. Walker, Wilkesboro, N. C., told of the academical and industrial school for the colored people there.

Several mission hymns were sung by Mrs. Schoonmaker's Sunday School class.

Mrs. E. G. Medrick had charge of a short business meeting, after which delightful refreshments were served and despite the heat of the day a very pleasant afternoon was spent.

Service of Song and Devotion.

The following music will be rendered at Christ Church service of song, to-morrow evening, at the Assembly Rooms:

Violin and Piano Voluntary—"Notturno".....
—Fe Chopin
Hymn 508—"Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty".....
Bass Solo and Chorus—"Hear my cry, O, God"...
—G. F. Morse
Duet—"They shall hunger no more".....A. R. Gaul
Solo, Duet and Chorus—"Forsake me not".....
—Glover
Contralto Solo—"Come, ye blessed".....Gaul
Bass and Contralto Duet—"The Lord is my light"
—Dudley Buck
Soprano Solo—"Rock of Ages".....Emerson
Offertory—Violin and Piano.....Selected
Hymn 500—"From all that dwell below the skies"

Miss Lottie Wells, violinist, will assist in voluntary and offertory.

A Cloudburst Near Walton.

Two storm clouds came together over Walton, Tuesday afternoon, and the result was a cloudburst, which deluged all that section, doing considerable damage. The home of Abram Chrisman, on East Trout Brook, was struck by lightning and badly damaged. Fortunately no one was in the house at the time.

Base Ball Notes.

—Jack Lawler went to Orange, to-day, where he plays with Hackensack against Orange. To-morrow he plays with Hackensack against Bridgeport.

Rheumatism Cured in 24 Hours.

T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Blackmore, Pittsburgh, Pa., says: "A short time since I procured a bottle of 'MYSTIC CURE.' It got me out of the house in twenty-four hours. I took to my bed with Rheumatism nine months ago and the 'MYSTIC CURE' is the only medicine that did me any good. I had five of the best physicians in the city, but I received very little relief from them. I know the 'MYSTIC CURE' to be what it is represented and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers. Sold by J. E. Mills, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown, N. Y.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

L. Wagner, wholesale druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of sciatic rheumatism, was laid up almost two months; was fortunate enough to get Mystic Cure For Rheumatism. This cured me after doctors' prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." J. E. Mills, Druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown, N. Y.

Thirty years is a long time to fight so painful a trouble as piles, but Jacob Mitchell, of Unionville, Pa., struggled that long before he tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which quickly and permanently cured him. It is equally effective in eczema and all skin affections. W. D. Olney.

GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH (During 1897)

4 First Prizes, each of $100 Cash.
20 Second " " " $100 Pierce Special Bicycles.
40 Third " " " $ 25 Gold Watches.
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Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

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IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

Home from the Mountains—Personal Mention—Concerning Faux Pas—An Imp of the Perverse.

From a Special Correspondent

—The Misses May and Adelaide Grier have returned from the Catskills, where they have been spending a week.

—The Misses Hosford, of Brooklyn, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. E. L. Frost, at her home in this village.

—Edward Nicholls and wife, of Newark, N. J., have been visiting relatives in Goshen, this week.

—We have all heard the story of how Mrs. Nouveau Riche, when asked whether she had heard of Mrs. Back Bay's *faux pas*, replied in the negative, adding that if Mrs. Back Bay had one, she should get one, too, if it cost a thousand dollars. This is what may be called blissful ignorance, for far better is it not to know a *faux pas* when one meets it than to commit one and then wake to a realizing sense of it in all its hideousness. We all know, at least all of us who are sensitive, the feeling of positive agony, the alternate waves of heat and cold, and the rainbow suffused countenance, which are all attendant symptoms of of an awkwardness, whether spoken or acted; the longing for a trap door through which we might flee away and be at rest. Foolish the person, however, who, once having said an awkward thing, tries to remedy it. He is like one sinking in a quicksand, the more he struggles to get out, the further in he gets. It is better to let bad enough alone and hope that no one minds it as much as he does himself.

—We sometimes hear of the soul striving to express itself in words, and, as Satan is constantly on the watch to interfere with the soul's aspirations, it is undoubtedly he who sends an imp of the perverse out into the world who gets into our mouths sometimes and twists our tongues into saying something that we never intended, and with which our minds have nothing to do. The writer has not the least idea but that the person who once said to her that he thought a pair of *porte cocheres* would look well hung in a certain doorway, was capable of better things, for, after he had said it, there was an anxious, troubled look upon his face, as though he suspected something had gone wrong. Doubtless too the man who once gave his opinion in her presence that it was always better when reading Shakespeare in public to use an extirpated edition, knew the proper word as well as she did herself. It was only the tricky sprit in question who, with impish ingenuity, popped the other word into his mouth and made his remark ridiculous.

G. H.

A Family Row That Might Have Resulted Seriously.

Patrick Murphy and Elting Terwilliger, of Red Mills, drove to Walden, Saturday, drunk together, quarreled on family matters and came to blows. They started for home together, and later Terwilliger was found unconscious in the road with three stab wounds in his head, which it is supposed were inflicted by his father-in-law. The wounds are not serious. No arrests.

The Delaware Valley Railroad Projec

The company recently incorporated to build a railroad from Stroudsburg to Port Jervis has voted to give $4,500 of its bonds in payment for the franchise of the Delaware Valley Electric Company. Arrangements are being made to build the road from Stroudsburg to Bushkill at once, using the grading done by the electric company.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Storn Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, July 10, '97.

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	128½	129¼
Tobacco	75⅞	75½
Chicago Gas	93¾	94⅛
Nat. Lead	30¼	30¼
General Electric	35⅝	—
U. S. L., pref	59¾	60
Tenn. Coal and Iron	23	—
A. T. & S. F.	12⅛	12⅜
C. B. & Q.	82⅝	82⅝
C. M. & St. P.	83⅝	83⅝
R. I.	74⅛	73⅝
D. L. & W.	156¾	—
C. of N. J.	84½	85
Erie	—	14½
D. and H.	110¼	110¾
O. & W.	—	14½
Susquehanna & Western	—	—
Susquehanna & West., pref.	29	29½
P. & R.	21½	21⅝
N. W.	117½	117¾
L. S.	—	—
N. Y. C.	101⅞	102
M. P.	18⅞	18⅞
Texas	10½	—
U. P.	6	6
W. Union	83¾	84
L. & N.	50	50¼
Manhattan	90½	90
P. M.	31⅞	31⅜
Wabash, pref.	14⅞	—
No. Pacific, pref	40½	40½
W. L.	—	—
Southern Ry.	—	—
Southern, pref.	28¾	28¾
Sept Wheat	65⅝	65¾
Sept Corn	27	26½
Sept Oats	18⅛	18¼
Sept Pork	$7 70	$7 50
Sept Lard	4 05	3 97

All druggists sell Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

LUNCHES DELIVERED IN OFFICES

New Industry That Has Recently Been Developed in Chicago.

A good midday lunch delivered at your office for ten cents is something that one will hardly find outside of Chicago. In fact, says the Times-Herald, it is a comparatively new enterprise even here. Like many another enterprise, it was born from a necessity, aided in a measure by ingenious energy. Less than a year ago a lunchhouse proprietor on Adams street began to deliver a few midday lunches to friends in different office buildings. He saw the possibilities in this new field of enterprise and hired two men to visit office buildings and secure custom for the delivery of his lunches. It met with favor and encouragement and grew and spread. To-day not less than 5,000 lunches are delivered by a half-dozen competitors, and the business is increasing every day to large proportions. Not only are lunches delivered at the office buildings, but at the various department stores for the clerks and other employes. Time as well as money is saved thereby.

The menu is: Two nice ham sandwiches, a piece of pie according to the taste of the patron, pickles, small bit of cheese, paper napkin and toothpicks. This costs but ten cents delivered. Each lunch is put up in a small paper box large enough for the purpose. In fact, there is now a factory that has begun to make these boxes for that especial purpose. It is a profitable business and has already begun to be felt by the other lunch places in the downtown district.

CURIOUS NESTING PLACE.

A Letter Box That Was in Constant Use by Birds.

In the year 1888 a pair of great tits built in a wooden letter box, which stood in the road in the village of Rowfant, Sussex, into which letters, etc., were posted, and which was cleared daily, says the Pall Mall Magazine. Unfortunately, one of the birds was killed by a boy and the nest was not finished. In 1889 a pair completed it and laid seven eggs, and were sitting; but one day an unusual number of postcards was dropped in, nearly filling the box and causing the birds to desert it, when the nest and the eggs were removed. In 1890 a pair built a new nest, the hen laid seven eggs and succeeded in rearing five young, although the letters continued to be posted daily, and when taken out were often found lying on the back of the sitting bird, which never left the nest. The birds went in and out by the slit for the letters.

Connected with the robin there is a sacred tradition accounting for the color of the bird's breast, to which I need not further allude, except to hazard the guess that the little songster is piously disposed, so that one is scarcely surprised to hear that on several occasions he, or she rather, has built in a church and once affixed a nest to the Bible as it lay on the reading desk. It is gratifying to learn that the vicar would not allow her to be disturbed and provided himself with another copy of the sacred volume from which to read the lessons.

Mississippi's Capitol.

The state of Mississippi is at length to have a new capitol. It is to be built upon the site of the present dilapidated structure, which has for years been unworthy of the state. The sum appropriated for its erection is $750,000, and a Jackson newspaper correspondent expresses the hope that the best men, men who have been fire-tried and fire-tested, men whose integrity is as pure as the first opening lilac, when it spreads its clear leaves to the sweetest dawn of May, will be selected to expend it.

Ancient Thermopylae.

An officer of the English intelligence department reports that in spite of the fact, which is well known, that the sea has receded since ancient times, the strategical position of this ancient pass is still immensely strong. The alternative route by Delegh', which crosses the hills 1½ miles north of the springs by well-engineered zigzags, is equally capable of defense, and leads into a country of a most difficult character. Either pass might be held indefinitely by 5,000 men. The coast road is absolutely commanded from the heights so that a comparatively small force would render it impassable, while the flat lowland lying near the sea is marshy and intersected by dykes.

Just Suited Him.

"Don't you think I have a very lovely figure?"
Said a pretty little maiden that I met,
And, remembering she was heiress to a million,
I said her figure suited me, you bet!

FRED O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 99 North street. Telephone No. 4. Lady assistant. New York office 154 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street, corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 60 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No. 16.

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Eternal Vigilance

Is the price of perfect health. Watch carefully the first symptoms of impure blood. Cure boils, pimples, humors and scrofula by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Drive away the pains and aches of rheumatism, malaria and stomach troubles steady your nerves and overcome that tired feeling by taking the same great medicine.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of Itching Piles there ever was, and do it almost instantly. Years of suffering relieved in a single night. Get Doan's Ointment from your dealer.

Are you suffering from rheumatism? Thomas' Eclectric Oil has cured thousands of the worst cases of this terrible disease. It costs 50 cents to try it.

Why suffer from indigestion? Burdock Blood Bitters cures Dyspepsia and all disorders of the stomach, liver and liver

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

QUARANTINE REGULATIONS

OF

Board of Health of City of Middletown.

Section 1—For the purpose of this ordinance the phrase "contagious disease" shall be held to include all diseases of an infectious, contagious or pestilential nature, more especially referring to cholera, small-pox, diphtheria, typhus, typhoid, cerebro-spinal or spotted and scarlet fevers, measles and whooping cough, and any other disease or diseases that shall be publicly declared by the Board dangerous to the public health.

§ 2—Every physician who has been called to attend, or has attended or prescribed for any person having a contagious disease, shall report to this Board within twelve hours after he has first prescribed for, or been called to attend, or attended such person, on account of such disease, the name of the person having the disease, the nature and state of the disease, and the place of dwelling or the precise place where the person having the said disease is temporarily lodged. Any person violating any provision of this section shall incur a penalty of $25 for each offense, which penalty is hereby imposed for any violation or non-compliance herewith.

§ 3—When a case of contagious or infectious disease is not brought, by any means, to the knowledge of a physician, it shall be the duty of the nurse, or other person in whose care or custody the person sick with such disease may be, to conform to the provisions of this section. Any person violating any provision of this section shall incur a penalty of $25 for each offense, which penalty is hereby imposed for any violation or non-compliance herewith.

§ 4—No principal, superintendent, teacher, or person acting for or representing any such principal, superintendent or teacher of any school, and no parent, master, guardian or custodian of any minor child, shall permit any such child having scarlet fever, diphtheria, small-pox, measles, whooping cough, or any other dangerous, infectious or contagious disease, or any child residing in any house in which any such disease exists, or has recently existed, to attend any public or private school, until he or she shall have obtained from this Board permission to attend such school. Nor shall any such principal, superintendent, teacher or person acting for or representing such principal, superintendent or teacher, permit any such child, to be unnecessarily exposed, or to needlessly expose any other person to the taking or to the infection of any contagious disease

§ 5—No such permission as hereinbefore provided for shall be granted by this Board, except on the certificate of a qualified physician, declaring the child or person, and the house in which the child or person resides, to be free from the infectious or contagious power of the disease of which such child or person was infected.

§ 6—It shall be the duty of every principal, superintendent or teacher in every school, public or private, and in every Sunday School, to use reasonable care and precaution respecting the temperature, ventilation, plumbing, drainage and cleanliness of every such school house or school room.

§ 7—Any principal, superintendent or teacher of any such school who shall fail to use such reasonable care and precaution, so that the life or health of any such person shall be endangered, or so that any person may incur any avoidable detriment or peril, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of $20.

§ 8—All communication with any house or family infected with the hereinafter named contagious, infectious or pestilential diseases, is hereby forbidden, except to physicians, nurses or messengers to carry necessary advice, medicine and provisions, and to such other persons as may be necessary to render aid within said house for the support or assistance of said family. The diseases named under this rule are scarlet fever, diphtheria, small-pox, cholera, typhus or ship fever, and such other diseases as may at any time be declared dangerous or a menace to public health.

§ 9—For the purpose of this ordinance, it is ordered that a sign or placard, of suitable size, bearing plainly legible letters, designating the name of the disease existing therein, shall be fixed on a conspicuous place near the main entrance of the house or building. Such sign or placard shall not be removed by any person, except the proper officers, authorities, person or persons who may be delegated by the Board of Health, to remove the same. In case no physician has attended on a person affected by any disease named in this provision, then it shall be the duty of the Health Officer to remove the placard.

§ 10—In case of non-compliance with the provisions of this ordinance, it is hereby ordered, as public safety may require, that the premises be quarantined in such manner as may be prescribed by any member of this Board. Any person violating any of the provisions of the above ordinance shall incur a penalty of $25 for each offense, which penalty is hereby imposed for any violation or non-compliance herewith.

§ 11—All rooms or apartments occupied by any person sick of any contagious disease shall, immediately upon the death or recovery of such person, be, by the person having charge or custody of such rooms or apartments, thoroughly cleansed and disinfected in such manner as may be required by a member of this Board or by its Health Officer; and all clothing, beds, bedding or infected articles used by or in caring for such sick person shall be likewise cleansed and disinfected, or in extreme cases destroyed, as said officer or member may direct.

§ 12—Every keeper of any lodging house, owner, agent, lessee and occupant of any tenement house hotel keeper, and every inn keeper, and every other person having the care and management of any lodging house, tenement house hotel or inn, shall at all times when required by this Board, or any officer thereof, give free access to such house, and to every part thereof, to any such officer or member of this Board, for the purpose of sanitary inspection.

§ 13—Any person violating any of the provisions of Sec. 11 and 12, of the above ordinance, shall incur a penalty of $10 for each offense, which penalty is hereby imposed for any violation or non-compliance herewith. 1td

NEW TO-DAY.

AUCTION Sale of household furniture, Tuesday, July 13th, at 58 Sprague avenue, beginning at 1:30—Parlor furniture, folding bed, bedroom suits, dining chairs, extension table, hall rack, carpets, refrigerator, bookcase, etc
E. McMILLEN.
WM. VANSCHAICK, Auctioneer. 89d3t

CHAMBERS, the North street druggist, will sell you a splendid two-quart Fountain Syringe, with three hard rubber pipes and extra long tubing, for 48c. They are fully warranted against imperfection. Get one at
CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

HOMESTEAD Building and Loan Association Regular meetings for collection of dues, Monday and Tuesday evenings. New series has been started.
90d2w H. J. LEONARD, Secretary.

AUCTION Sale of household goods, Tuesday, July 13th, at 1:30 p. m., 66 East Main street.
90d2t MRS. M. E. SKINNER.

WANTED—Agents—$90 a week sure to workers. New goods. New plans. It is a winner. Every family needs it. Sells at sight. HOUSEHOLD SPECIALTY CO., 42 E. 4th St., Cincinnati, Ohio. 4w6t

AFTER THE FOURTH.

Samuels' One Price Shoe Store

All the better for the double holiday. Now for business again.

GRAND MID-SUMMER SALE OF ALL OUR RUSSET SHOES.

Men's, Boys', Youths', Women's and Children's.

All Our Tan Goods Sold at Cost,

BECAUSE WE DO NOT WANT TO CARRY OVER ANY GOODS.

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DON'T Forget that 104 North street is the place to have your upholstering and repairing done in first-class order. Mattresses and spring beds at hard time prices, also crockery, lamps and tinware way down to close stock to make room for new goods. Headquarters for fruit and jelly cans.
McCARTER & SUTTON, successor to S. N. McCarter & Son. 83d6t

A BUSINESS EDUCATION — Railway and Commercial Systems practically taught—Stenography, typewriting and telegraphy, school of commerce No. 47 Washington street, Middletown, N. Y. Day and evening. Established 1865.
69dly Feb17 J. B. VANGELDER, Principal.

CHAS. J. KIDD, JR., 70 Academy avenue—3,000 designs in Wall Paper. Estimates furnished for painting, decorating and hanging. 71

NO MASSAGE HEALER — Blood purified. Skin disease, rheumatism and salt rheum cured. Se MARIE L. DEVESSEY, M. D., V. D., C. M. S. Branch office 22 Highland avenue.

LADY, with good reference, to work at home in spare time, can make $8 to $12 a week. No books or canvassing, work light and respectable; permanent position to right party; we furnish work and teach you free. Send 10c for sample and instructions.
THE CARTER CHEMICAL CO.,
71d3mSep21 120 So. Second St., Phila.

WILLIAM OTTO BENDER, City Upholster and Awning Maker, with good help, is now ready to take orders for all kinds of work in his line. Over 200 samples of awnings, for private houses and stores, to select from. Residence and factory 15 Knapp Ave., near Wickham. 1yMy19

PAPER Hanging at 12½c a roll; also all kinds of painting. Estimates on all work cheerfully furnished.
EMIL MARTINI,
dtf Shop 5 Academy Ave.

JOSEPH VUOLO, Practical Shoemaker—A full line of ready-made shoes, for men and women, from $1.10 up. Repairing—Men's shoes, half sole and heeling, 65c up, women's shoes, 50c and up. Custom work a specialty.
72dly Jul8'98 JOE VUOLO, 91 Fulton street.

CLAIRVOYANT—PROF. W. H. SAGENDORF will return to Middletown July 5th and remain one week at Wm. S. Roe's, 37 James street.
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FOR SALE.

I Know Where There are Three Fine, Large, Well-Built Houses,

with large gardens, fruit and shade trees, Monhagen and well water; also 4 fine Lots, the largest is 100x300. $300 takes this one. Do you hear what I say, they are going to be sold. The owners are non-residents, and are hell bent on selling at some price or getting up a swap; anyway they are going to get rid of them. Something must be done. The terms can be made easy.

P. F. KAUFMAN,

Real Estate and Auctioneer,
31 Mill Street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all property owners to trim the Trees in front of their respective properties, within 10 days from date of this notice, to a height sufficient to clear passing vehicles and pedestrians.

By order of Common Council.
Dated July 9th, 1897.
C. E. MANCE, President.
E. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk. 89d6t

17 Cents a Pound

FOR

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Better than Java.

SLOAT'S Cash Store.

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TO LET—saloon on Myrtle avenue. Enquire at No. 1. Rent cheap. 88d3t

FOR SALE—A good two seated leather top surrey, but little worn; a kitchen range, covered shelf, in good shape; a set bay shelvings, in good repair. Enquire on the place of ERNEST GIBBS, near Johnson, N. Y., or M. H. C. GARDNER, No. 1 Prospect Ave., Middletown. w&dThu

SIGNS for Boarding Houses—I have a number of pretty and suitable designs. Can be made of muslin oil cloth or wood. Red scolloped porch fronts of muslin a specialty. Sheet of designs in colors free to boarding houses.
GEO. HARDING, Sign Artist, Wurtsboro, N. Y.

WANTED—Ladies to remember that you swore off on having your shoes repaired with nails. It makes them stiff and heavy. CRAIG sews on the soles, which makes your shoes feel flexible. The cost is no more.

EXTRACTING with gas 50c., odontander 50c. No charge for extracting when artificial teeth are to be inserted. Best teeth $6, $8 and $10 a set. Twenty years' experience.
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MUSICAL Instruction on mandolin, piano, violin, guitar, banjo, flute by VINCENT MAGGIO, 68 Northastreet, second floor. d&wly

WANTED, on bond and mortgage, $3,000, 5 per cent., 90 acre farm at S½ Station, one mile from Middletown, 30 acres black dirt, good buildings, worth $7,000.
MERRILL & BURKE, Attorneys, No. 57 North street. d&w4t

AT COST—We will sell all our Walking Hats and Sailors at cost, as the season is getting late. The price on all our Trimmed Hats will now be cut so low that all can afford to buy, as we do not intend to carry any over the season.
50d&wtf MRS. BUSH, 144 North street.

PRETTY Cottage for Rent. Rent very reasonable. VANAMEE, WATTS & VAIL.
81dtf No. 4 East Main street.

CHAMBERS' Magic Corn Cure will instantly relieve the pain, and soon cure the most obstinate or painful hard or soft corns. Used with perfect satisfactions by many of our people during the past five years. If every other remedy has failed, just give this a trial and follow the directions. Price 15c. Made and sold only at
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FIRST-Class Gold Filled Waltham Watches, stem winders and setters, with safety pinions, also very old book, The History of Polyblos, the Megalopolitan, printed in London in 1534, at the
EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 46 East Main street.

LARGE Cake Best Castile Soap, with a large Turkish wash cloth, 10c. Get it at
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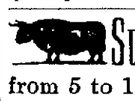
PHILIP HENRY, Practical House Painter, No 9 Linden Terrace. Painting walls a specialty. 47dtf



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Proposals for Lighting.

Sealed proposals, endorsed "Proposals for Lighting," and addressed to the undersigned, will be received until 8 p. m., July 12th, 1897, at which time they will be opened and read, for lighting the city of Middletown, N. Y., for one year with

50 Arc Lights of 1,200 C. P. each,
200 Incandescent Lights of 32 C. P. each, and for an additional number of Incandescents up to 290.
80 Gas Lamps.

The Common Council reserves the right to reject any or all bills.
By order of the Common Council.
C. E. MANCE, President
E. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk. 46,10

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